

Athena Mercantile Co

Our Spring and Summer stock is now Complete. We are now showing all the newest and up to date styles in Ladies', Gentlemen's, Boys' or Girls' Wearing Apparel

New Dress Goods

Plain and fancy Boiles in all the shades and black, from 25c to \$1 per yard.

Black Etamines, strictly all wool, from 50c up.

Scotch Tweeds, new Spring effects, 54 in. wide, \$1.25 per yard.

Scotch Tweeds, new mixtures, all colors, 36 in. wide, 50c per yard.

An endless variety of Braids, Gymps, Appliques and Two Toned Banding, from 5c to 75c per yard.

All the new shades and black in the celebrated Mascot Kid gloves, \$1.25 per pair.

Ladies' Fabric Gloves and Mitts in Lisle and Taffeta Silk, from 25c to 75c per pair.

Shoes

Ladies' Kid lace low cut shoes, patent tips, heavy or light soles, from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per pair.

Ladies' Dongola lace shoes, patent tips, extension soles, regular price \$2.25, now \$1.75 per pair.

The new spring shipment of the celebrated Uty and Dunn ladies' shoes arrived and we are now showing all their latest styles in high or low cut, either turned or welts, from \$2.50 to \$4.

Men or boys work shoes in all the best makes, from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per pair

Men's Dress shoes, the latest styles in Vici Kid, Box or Valour Calf and patent Enamel, from \$2.50 to \$6 per pair.

Men's ready to wear stylish suits, just received from the very best makers, from \$6.50 to \$15 per suit.

Latest novelties in men's Golf shirts. A new line just opened. Call and make an early selection.

Wash Dress Goods

French Ginghams in stripes, check and bourette effects, from 8c to 12½c

New Novelty Lawns, Batistes, Snowflakes and Tweeds, from 10c to 25c per yard.

Dotted Swisses, Victoria Lawns, India Linons and Persian Lawns, from 7½ to 25c per yard.

Silk Mulls, plain and dotted. All the latest evening shades, from 25c to 45c per yard.

Mercerized Waistings in endless variety, from 25c to 75c per yard.

Fancy Pongee and Lansdown waistings from 65c to \$1.25 per yard.

Fancy Collars in Irish points and spangled necklin net, from 25c to \$2.75 each.

Buttons and Shirt Waist sets in great variety.

GROCERIES

Our line of Groceries is new and complete. Nothing too good for our customers. Bring Us your produce. We pay the highest market price. Come and be convinced.

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Press Paragraphs

Wm. McKenzie was a Pendleton visitor Sunday.

Miss Bessie Robinson has been slightly ill this week.

Dr. M. V. Turley, of Weston, was in town Friday afternoon.

Harve Richardson, of Adams, was an Athena visitor Sunday.

Try the professional horsehoer at Beck's blacksmith shop.

Frank Rogers made a business trip to the county seat Saturday.

Mr. Marion Van Cleve, father of Mrs. A. L. Swaggart, is here on a visit.

Mrs. Garfield and daughter, of Weston, were in the city Friday afternoon.

Henry Bean, republican candidate for county judge, was in town yesterday.

Frank Nowitzki will leave for a visit to his old home in Arcadia, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Jack Garrett was quite ill for a few days but at present is somewhat better.

J. T. Ogle and Roy Wachter, of Ridge, were visitors at the Ogle home last week.

Penny photographs, known as "stamp pictures," 26 for 25 cents at the Umatilla Art gallery.

Ase McDaniel was in town yesterday. He has just returned from a trip to Alberta, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McIntyre went down to Pendleton Saturday, returning in the evening.

Mrs. John Walker was in from the farm west of town, trading with Athena merchants yesterday.

J. E. Cherry, democratic candidate for county clerk, shook hands with Athena voters Saturday.

Third street between Jefferson and Adams has been completed with the regulation rock covering.

Those who have tried fishing report poor success. The streams yet contain too much water for angling.

The Sargent boys and Mr. Norvel are engaged in building an addition to A. L. Swaggart's farm residence.

Grandma Fountain went to Weston yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Harris, for a few weeks.

Lee Brown is in town from Pendleton. Lee likes to drift back to Athena once in a while for old time's sake.

A number of Pendleton, Adams and Weston people were in town Sunday to witness the Athens-Pendleton ball game.

The funeral sermon of Miss Voorhies, who died Thursday of last week, will be preached by Rev. Armfield in the M.

E. church, Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Friends of the family are especially invited to be present.

Joseph Creighton and his father left yesterday morning for a trip to the Alberta country, with a view to purchasing land.

A number of Weston base ball enthusiasts were over Sunday and witnessed the game with the Pendleton Wonders.

Miss Lilly Bannister went up on the mountain yesterday, where she will teach a summer term of school in the Taylor district.

Sick headache results from a disordered stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all druggists.

Mr. and Mr. John Martin, of Walla Walla, were in the city over Sunday, visiting their daughter, Mrs. William Winship. They returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Pinkerton and son, Ed, went to Milton yesterday, and will visit Mrs. Henry Lloyd, who has been ill at her home in that city for the past two weeks.

Dave Williams went down to Adams Saturday evening and witnessed Prof. Haw, the horse trainer, subjugate an outlaw horse. Dave says he was repaid for the trip.

County Commissioner Horace Walker, who is a candidate on the republican ticket for reelection, was in town Saturday. Horace is a good boy, no matter if he is on the other side forinst us.

Rev. W. H. H. Moore of the Baptist church and a number of his membership went to Weston Sunday afternoon, where in the waters of Pine creek the ordinance of baptism was administered.

The big steel listels for the Stahl building have arrived and will soon be put in place. They had been delayed in shipment and the force of workmen was compelled to lay off for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ogle and son left Saturday morning for their Ridge farm, driving a number of cattle which Mr. Ogle has wintered at his place here. Mr. Ogle will return in a few days while his wife will remain a couple of weeks and visit with her children there.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Metzgar, of Walla Walla came over Saturday to attend to some property interests which they have here. Mr. Metzgar returned home and Mrs. Metzgar remained here and is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gholson.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Stine, of Spokane, were in the city for a short time Friday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bannister, and also visited Mrs. Stine's other sisters, Mrs. Harvey Caton and Mrs. John Bannister near town. Dr.

and Mrs. Stine's stay in town was short, as they were on their way to St. Louis, where they will spend a month, enjoying the pleasures of the big fair.

Carpenters are at work tearing down the old Catholic church building on Fifth and College streets which has so long been an eyesore in that vicinity. It is reported that another and better structure will immediately go up to replace the old building.

George Bryles, who has been connected with the merry-go-round, is in durance vile for the period of five days—cause, scrapping. The trouble took place at the swing Saturday night, and in making the arrest Marshal Foster had to make a gun play. Bryles was fined \$10 by Judge Chamberlain.

Mrs. C. A. Barrett was called to Walla Walla yesterday to attend a friend, Mrs. Martha A. Lovell, who fell recently while attending her household duties and sustained a fracture of the hip. Owing to the advanced age of the lady the injury is thought to be very serious and grave apprehensions are felt by her friends for the result.

The "tea" given at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jenkins, Saturday afternoon, by the ladies of the Christian Women's Board of Missions was a very gratifying success. An open session of the Auxiliary was held, and a short though interesting program was presented. The rooms were strung with pictures of a large number of the missionaries now in the foreign field. Tea was served until near six in the evening, the proceeds netting the sum of \$16.50 which, taken in connection with the individual offering of the membership, will be sent to the Chinese mission in Portland.

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GERKING FLAT "FLATS."

Chas. Gerking went to Walla Walla Saturday.

Arthur Scott has finished planting forty acres of corn.

Henry Keen was out to his ranch on the Flat Thursday.

J. N. B. Gerking delivered to R. J. Boddy, 7 head of fat hogs, Monday.

Grandma Gerking has been visiting with friends on the Flat for several days.

Hon. J. M. Stone is building a splendid new barn on his farm on Gerking Flat.

Miss Bradshaw, of Weston, is a visitor with Miss Fay Gerking for several days.

Louis Keen drove quite a nice bunch of cattle to the mountain range above Weston Wednesday.

Charles Walter, of Walla Walla, is helping in the construction of the new barn on his father's place.

Miss Fannie Scott, who has been teaching at Waitsburg, has returned home, her term having expired.

Dean and Fay Gerking were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith, on Little Gresswood, Thursday.

Mrs. Nellie Taylor and Grandma Gerking were visitors at the Jas. Potts home in Sand Hollow, Thursday.

Several people of the Flat attended the "Missionary tea," given at the parsonage of the Christian church Saturday.

Clark Walter has torn down his old barn and is now busily engaged in building another and more commodious structure on the site of the old one.

Links Taylor returned Saturday from his John Day stock ranch. He reports considerable loss to stockmen in that locality, caused by the late snows this spring. Out of a band of 160, Mr. Taylor lost 30 head and others in like proportion.

Artificial Teeth.

To follow the natural contour of the face in arranging artificial teeth on plates so that they will give the most natural appearance when in the mouth, there are points, including a perfect fit and perfect satisfaction, that is the guarantee on all plate work. Dr. Spongole, dentist.

A Secret Method.

I use a secret method for the painless extraction of teeth which I have used for a number of years with continued success. It does not cause any soreness of mouth or gums, or any sickness or after effects whatever; is perfectly safe and takes immediate effect when applied around a tooth. Dr. Spongole, dentist.

The BLUE Front

CASH GROCERY

Removal Sale Prices for 60 Days

CANNED GOODS.

Yellow Crawford Peaches per can	20
Royalan Cherries per can	17
Black Cherries per can	15
Appricots per can	15
Strawberries per can	17
Columbia River Red Salmon per can	12½
High grade Oama Oysters per can	25
String Beans per can	12½
Black Berries per can	20
3 gal. keg No. 1 Pickles	\$1 15
6 bars Diamond Soap	25
6 bars Perfection soap	25
12 cans Rex Lye	1 00
12 cans American Lye	1 00
10 cans Red Seal Lye	1 00

CEREALS.

Flour per package	15
Union Oats	30
Cream Wheat	17
Jumbo Oats	10
Violet Oats	10
H. O. Mush	15
H. O. Pancake Flour	12½
Vermicelli	10
50 lbs. fine Salt	70
100 lbs. Stock Salt	75
50 lbs. Block Salt	80

Our space is too small to mention all goods on which we will cut and slash in prices during this interval.

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Profit

In buying as in selling. If you buy your groceries from us we will save money for you and also give you the best of every thing for the table, thereby making a profit for you.

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We have a large and complete stock of the latest styles in street and dress hats for Women, Misses and Children. Our prices are as low as the lowest and you will do well to call here before making your purchases. We guarantee perfect satisfaction in trimming old hats. Your money refunded if not satisfactory.

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