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33 1-3 to 50 per Cent.

Men's Shirts and Drawers, regular price, 50c per garment, will be sold at 35c per garment.

Men's Heavy Ribbed Balbriggan, regular price 75c, will be sold at 50c per garment.

Men's fancy Lace Striped Balbriggan, regular price \$1, will be sold at 65c per garment.



GROCERIES

If you are not already a visitor to our Grocery Department, come in and look through it and compare our prices with what you have to pay elsewhere.

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PENDLETON, OREGON.

Press Paragraphs

Mrs. D. H. Sanders was taken seriously ill Tuesday, but is better at present.

Mrs. Koontz and her grand-daughter, Miss Edna Koontz, visited in Walla Walla Sunday.

Charles Gay sells 7 loaves of fresh bread for 25 cents.

H. R. Burkes, special agent for the Royal & Queen Insurance Co., was in the city yesterday.

Miss Marie McNaughton, of Elgin, was a guest of Miss Eva Rider for several days this week.

The Preston-Parton Milling Co. have established temporary offices in the First National Bank.

S. P. Purdy and son, Thomas, are in Baker county this week.

Mrs. Wm. McBride visited in Weston Wednesday and Thursday.

E. E. Dotson and wife, of Marshaltown, Iowa, are in the city.

Miss Fern Smith, of Pendleton, spent the 4th with Athena friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wheeler, of Pendleton, spent the 4th in Athena.

Miss Mousou, of Pendleton, was the guest of Athena friends Monday.

Mrs. O. C. Beck returned last week from her ranch in Franklin county.

Mrs. A. L. Watts, of Weston, is spending the week with Athena friends.

Miss Bertha Baker returned Tuesday to her school at Duncan, near Meacham.

Tom Mosley and family left yesterday for a visit with relatives at Nez Perce, Idaho.

Mr. Wilhelm and two daughters spent a couple of days this week in Walla Walla.

Miss Mytalene Fraker, of Pendleton, was a guest Monday of Mrs. J. D. Plamondon.

Mrs. Jas. Ritchey and children, of Weston, visited at the Brotherton home this week.

Wayne, son of J. W. Maloney, of Pendleton, visited Athena friends the first of the week.

Miss Ona Marsh, of Weston, was a guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Purdy, during the celebration.

F. Rosenzweig and A. W. Whicmer, special insurance agent, have been driving over the country the past few days with the view of helping to insure the grain fields.

Grandpa and Grandma Swaggart were up from Pendleton and spent the Fourth with their children here.

Mrs. Eva Boddy has gone to her homestead in Union county, where she will remain for some time.

Ed Wooddy is up from Pendleton and will accept a job at bucking sacks on one of the wheat platforms here.

M. G. Royal, of the law firm of Reeder & Royal, Portland, was a visitor at the Rosenzweig home Sunday.

The two little sons of Mr. Moran, who have been visiting him for several weeks have returned to their home in Spokane.

Miss Janie Roche arrived in the city last evening from Portland, where she has spent several months visiting an aunt.

The monthly meeting of the local auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. will be held at the Christian church Saturday afternoon.

Turner Callender left Tuesday evening to resume his duties as clerk in the wholesale house of Fleishner & Meyer, Portland.

Miss Rose Armfield of Pullman, Wash., was a visitor the past week at the home of her uncle, Rev. W. E. Armfield.

Mrs. Jane Wooddy was up from Pendleton the first of the week, visiting her daughters, Mrs. Cass Cannon and Mrs. Mitt Bush.

For fine photographs, come to the Umatilla Art Gallery, Athena. Areato Platina and Carbon, in the late and fancy cards.

Those low cut Utz & Dunn shoes that several Athena ladies have been waiting for, have arrived at the Athena Mercantile Co. store.

Mrs. James Winship, of Burke, Idaho, with her two children, is visited the first of the week at the Gholson and Winship homes.

Mrs. Fay S. LeGrow came over from Walla Walla Monday evening on the 5 o'clock passenger and returned on the 7 o'clock mixed train.

The condition of Miss Mamie Wilson, who is ill at her home near Weston, is said to be improved, by Athena friends who have recently visited her.

Thomas Mosley has sold his residence property on the west side to P. E. Colbern, for \$1800. Mr. Mosley has rented the Colbern farm for four years.

Sunday subjects at Christian church: "Jereboam who made Israel sin;" "Repent and turn that your sins may be blotted out, that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord."

Mrs. Chas. Frazer, of Pendleton, is visiting Mrs. S. F. Sharp.

Sherman & McLean until further notice will sell three pounds of steak for 25 cents cash, boiling meats and roasts in proportion.

Jerry St. Dennis Jr., who recently came up from Orange county, California, will return to that place in a few days. Jerry says there is no place like California.

Letters have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompkins, telling of their safe arrival at Calgary, Alberta, Canada. They will visit there for several weeks.

Hon. and Mrs. T. J. Kirk returned Saturday evening from a visit with friends and relatives in the Willamette valley. Mr. Kirk reports crop prospects in the valley as not very encouraging.

W. A. Flower, an experienced photographer, and L. G. Pickel will conduct the Umatilla Art gallery. Mr. Flower will manage the gallery and Mr. Pickel will look after the outside work. Prices reasonable and good work guaranteed.

Wm. McKenzie, formerly salesman for the Athena Mercantile Co. and for the past month with Alexander & Co. in Pendleton, has accepted a position in the Fair store. Mr. McKenzie avers that he is glad to get back to Athena.

Mrs. Wm. Dobson will leave in a few days for the home of her parents at Forest Grove, and from there will go to the beach for a summer's rest and recreation. Mrs. Dobson is at present visiting Mrs. Wm. Steen, at Milton.

F. S. LeGrow has gone to Portland, where he takes his father, A. LeGrow, of Walla Walla, for medical advice. Mr. LeGrow the elder has been ill with heart trouble and may conclude to go to San Francisco, in which case Mrs. F. S. LeGrow will attend him.

Miss Ethel Garfield, who has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Jackson Nelson, has gone on a visit to friends in the Grande Ronde valley. Her mother, Mrs. Garfield and two children, are visiting in Prineville, Crook county.

Mrs. John Scrivener, of Crook county, visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Willaby, the first of the week and attended the celebration. While here Mrs. Scrivener received the sad intelligence of the death of a brother in Iowa.

Mrs. F. H. Coffin and Mrs. P. A. Worthington, of Portland, called on Mrs. H. O. Worthington Saturday. These two ladies are up from Portland for the purpose of spending the heated term at the summer home of their father, I. E. Saling, at Saling's Camp.

Miss Bessie McBride returned to her duties as stenographer Tuesday, in the county recorder's office at Pendleton, after a couple of weeks' visit with her parents here, and attending at the bedside of her foster father, A. L. Watts, who died recently at Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Turner drove up from Pendleton Sunday and spent the days of the celebration with friends here, returning home Tuesday afternoon. The Turners were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hull, and the Sharp family visited at the Gillis home.

Lee Hiteman, who is traveling for a San Francisco glove house, dropped in on the "old folks at home" Friday evening, and was received with hearty welcome both by his parents and a host of other friends. Lee is the same jolly, popular boy as of yore.

A party consisting of Wm. Winship, John Benson, A. L. Jones, Wm. Dobson, Chas. Smith, F. B. Boyd and Wm. Gholson left yesterday morning via Pilot Rock and Starkey prairie, for the headwaters of the Grande Ronde river, where they expect to catch some big fish. They will be gone about ten days.

Notwithstanding counter attractions, the stereopticon entertainment given by J. W. Jenkins Monday night was well patronized. The views were interesting, and the illustrated solos, "The Holy City" and "The Green Fields of Old Virginia," sung by J. N. and W. R. Scott, respectively, were alone worth the price of admission.

Weston Leader: A beautiful monument of Scotch granite marks the resting place of the late Angus McDonald in Kees cemetery. It has just been set up by H. Wray, of the Pendleton Marble works, and is among the finest ever seen in East End cemeteries. It is six feet eight inches in height and elegantly chiseled with Modern Woodmen emblems.

The "hard times" social given by the Christian Endeavor society last Friday evening was a brilliant success in every way. The company responded nobly in coming "en costume," some appearing in rags, some in tags, and none in velvet gowns. One rig from the country, driven by the indefatigable Scott boy, provoked much merriment as they meandered through the streets with a tall, sway-backed plug harnessed with a cayuse, and the rest of the outfit in keeping. The menu of pancakes with maple syrup, washed down with water, was very much appreciated, and all agreed they had enjoyed a hard time indeed.

Items in Brief.

Liquozone at Pioneer drugstore. Buy a Samson at Cox & McEwen's. Bagley & Ely handle fresh fruits and vegetables.

Fresh bread, cakes, etc., on sale at Gay's, daily.

C. A. Barrett & Co. have the McCormick extras.

Fine stritronery and blank books at Pioneer drugstore.

1905 Washer beats them all. For sale by Cox & McEwen.

Palm chocolates and Bon Bons at Pioneer drugstore.

All the new styles in men's summer hats. Athena Mercantile Co.

C. A. Barrett & Co. sell the Double Disc weeder. It is guaranteed.

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The best of everything in groceries are to be found at the Blue Front, at prices that are right.

New line of ladies' fabric gloves in silk taffeta and lisle; blacks, whites and colors. Athena Mercantile Co.

Try a can of our Gold Leaf Baking Powder. It is as good as Schillings' Best and is 25 per cent cheaper. Bagley & Ely.

Combination dip puff combs, combination pompadour puff combs, and a host of other novelties in hair fixings. Athena Mercantile Co.

Just received by express, all the latest novelties in shirt waist sets; sterling silver, gun metal, pearl and enamel. Athena Mercantile Co.

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CANNED GOODS.

Yellow Crawford Peaches per can	30
Rayalans Cherries per can	17
Black Cherries per can	15
Apricots per can	17
Strawberries per can	12 1/2
Columbia River Red Salmon per can	12 1/2
High grade Cama Oysters per can	12 1/2
String Beans per can	12 1/2
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.

Force per package	1b
Union Oats	30
Cream Wheat	17
Jumbo Oats	10
Violet Oats	10
H. O. Mush	15
H. O. Pancake Flour	12 1/2
Vernicelli	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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