

Press Paragraphs

M. O. Rose, of Ione, was in the city Tuesday.

Miss Ada DeFroce visited in Pendleton Tuesday.

Matt Mcgrove was over from Milton Wednesday.

Jerry Stone made a business trip to Pendleton yesterday.

Fred McGrew was in the city last evening from Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson visited in Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. Cole, of Walla Walla, is a guest of Athena friends this week.

E. C. Skiles, Seattle, was registered at the St. Nichols Wednesday.

Mrs. S. F. Sharp has been a guest of Pendleton friends this week.

B. B. Richards made a short business trip to Pendleton yesterday.

Mrs. E. A. Dudley and Mrs. Anson Wood visited in Pendleton Wednesday.

Mrs. Boyd and Miss Cecile visited in Weston a couple of days this week.

J. E. Froom returned yesterday from a week's business visit to Spokane.

Miss Margaret Rankin, of Portland, is a guest this week of Mrs. J. D. Plamondon.

S. F. Wilson made a trip to Spokane this week, combining business with pleasure.

W. B. Reed of Garfield, Wash., will preach at the Christian church, Sunday and evening.

Mrs. Ora Rhodes and Miss Maggie Price spent the day yesterday at the Coppock home near town.

Rev. Hoadley, of the M. E. church at Milton, preached in the Methodist church here Sunday morning.

Carl Stewart, the Walla Walla line man, was in the city inspecting and repairing telephones yesterday.

While riding a horse at the Brotherton home this morning, Ferol McBride fell and broke her arm at the wrist.

Mrs. Bryant and children of Weston, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Roberts the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dittmore, of Dayton, were guests at the Gholson and A. A. Foss homes the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin, parents of Mrs. Wm. Winslip returned to their home in Walla Walla Monday, after a visit here.

Mrs. C. C. Clise, of Walla Walla, has been at the St. Nichols this week, accompanying her husband, the eye specialist.

Rawl Miller arrived home last evening from the O. A. C. at Corvallis, and will spend the summer vacation with his parents.

Mrs. B. W. Myers and two children left the first of the week for Oregon City, where she will visit her parents during the hot weather.

Miss Mary McKinnon left yesterday for Nanton, Alberta, where she will spend a couple of months with her brother, John McKinnon.

Word has been received from Rev. Geo. T. Ellis, since arriving at Baker City, that he is slightly improved in health and stood the trip fairly well.

Mrs. O. C. Turner and children and Miss Ruby Douglas came over from Weston Wednesday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Kidder left the first of the week for Seattle, where they will lay in a large stock of wall paper, paint etc., for their Athena store.

A. B. McEwen was able to come down town Wednesday for the first time since his illness. His many friends are pleased to see him about again.

A brother of Oris Castleman died at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland and the body was taken by Mr. and Mrs. Castleman to Spokane Saturday night, where interment took place. The young man died of paralysis, and had been bedridden for many months.

Mrs. P. E. Colbern remembered the Press office this week with a fine collection of roses. Mrs. Colbern's home is graced with many choice varieties of roses.

Miss Myrtle Hawks and a girl friend are guests at the Homer Watts home this week, and also visiting with her brother, Byron Hawks of the Pioneer drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Koontz and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dell, spent Sunday on the Umatilla river. The party were successful in catching trout and enjoyed the outing.

T. M. Taggart, the popular groceryman, was suddenly called home last evening on account of the death of his niece at Vale, Malheur county. He left for Ontario last night.

Mrs. Andrew J. Wise and granddaughter, Miss Elsie Keyt, of Ferrydale, Oregon, are in the city visiting at the Brotherton home. They will also visit relatives at Weston.

Leo and Roy Gholson, of Walla Walla, came over from there Sunday, the latter remaining in the city, visiting their uncle, Wm. Gholson. Leo returned to the garden city Monday.

Mrs. Matheson, wife of Roadmaster, J. D. Matheson of the O. R. & N. was in the city this week from her home in La Grande, a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Nelson.

For the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Assembly at Gladstone Park, July 7 to 19, the O. R. & N. will sell tickets to Portland and return at one and one third fare, on certificate plan.

Mrs. A. B. McEwen, knowing the partiality of the editor for roses, last evening presented a magnificent bouquet for our table, each bloom of which is worthy of a prize at Portland's rose show.

Miss Fay Gerking returned last week from Milton, where she visited several days, and will remain with friends here until after the Fourth of July, when she will return to her home in Crook county.

Miss Maggie Price came down from her home at Pullman, Wash., last Friday and is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Rhodes and other friends in this city. Miss Price is a stenographer and has a position in Colfax.

Presiding Elder Sykes, of the Methodist church, met with the congregation of Pastor Putnam here yesterday morning, when the 4th quarterly conference was held. This will be the last meeting of the local conference before the annual conference, which convenes in September.

Nib Ying, the St. Nichols cook of long standing, has returned from a year's visit to his old home in China, and passed through last week to Walla Walla, where he is at present. Nib is a Chinese gentleman and a chef of note and will be welcomed back by his Athena friends.

A. N. Mayville, who comes from La Grande, is opening a cigar store on Main street. He will manufacture cigars for the wholesale and retail trade, and will carry a stock of candies, fruits, nuts, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Mayville have moved into the Swagart cottage on Jefferson street.

Wednesday evening as train No. 8 was coming up from Pendleton, it came in contact on a curve with a handcar, barely giving the men time to jump from the car. One section hand was severely hurt by the handcar being hurled against him, and was taken to Walla Walla on the train.

D. M. Taggart, of Ontario, Malheur county, was a guest of his brother, Tom, in this city last week. A dancing party was given at the opera house Friday evening in his honor, at which a large number of the young people enjoyed a pleasant time until midnight. He left for his home the first of the week.

The Adams ball team did not show up for play Sunday and the Shamrocks overtook on the diamond in a practice game. Sunday afternoon, picked players from the Milton and Freewater

teams will go against the Shamrocks on the Athena grounds. The berry pickers are coming to town with the fixed idea of handing the Irishmen a surprise package. Go out and see whether they do it or not.

Mrs. W. R. Affleck was a guest this week of Mrs. Robert Thompson. Mrs. Affleck has been visiting for several weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkpatrick in Weston, and will leave soon to join her husband in a northern Washington town, where he has recently purchased a drug store.

The school board elected Thomas D. Miner of Portland, to the position of Principal of the Athena Public school, at a meeting held Tuesday evening. With the exception of one year's teaching on the Coast, Mr. Miner's school work has been done in Illinois and Iowa. The assistant principal and one teacher yet remains to be elected by the board.

Charles Miller, alias C. H. Ireland, is in jail charged with horse stealing. The fellow hired a team at McBride's barn in this city, saying that he wanted to go to the Bryan place north of town. Instead he took the road to Walla Walla. McBride became suspicious and phoned to Milton. At that place Miller tried to sell the team. He was immediately placed under arrest.

Rev. V. E. Hoven preached his farewell sermon in the Christian church last Sunday evening to a large congregation, the members of all other churches in the city being present. It is with regret that the people of Athena see the departure of this able minister, as it will be hard to replace him both as an eloquent preacher and a conscientious pastor. Monday morning Mr. Hoven left for Turner, where he will attend the annual church convention.

The last carload of mountain potatoes was shipped to Seattle over the Northern Pacific from Athena this week. A total of 62 carloads of potatoes was shipped from Athena this season, which included the bulk of the mountain crop. The average price paid by the Seattle buyers who were represented here by D. B. Jarman, was 10 and 11 cents. A large acreage of potatoes are in crop and next season's shipments promise to be an increase over this year.

Wednesday, June 24th was the 74th birthday of Mrs. Jackson Nelson, and the day was celebrated with a dinner given by the hostess to her daughter, Mrs. Matheson, Mrs. E. M. Smith and Mrs. Minnie DePeatt and daughter, Miss Zelma. In the afternoon Photographer Danner took a photo of Mrs. Nelson, mounted on a handsome riding horse. In her younger days, which seem not far back, judging from her present youthful appearance, Mrs. Nelson was one of the best horsewomen in the west. Her many friends wish for her many more happy birthdays.

Miss Alice Driskell has left for Dayton, Wash., where she intends to spend the rest of the summer with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Sowers.

Postmaster Wm. McCorkel of Briggson is in town on a business trip.

Mr. S. E. Clark has gone to his ranch at Camas, Ore., his daughter, Miss Beryl, and son, Walter, will spend the summer vacation at Myrtle, Idaho.

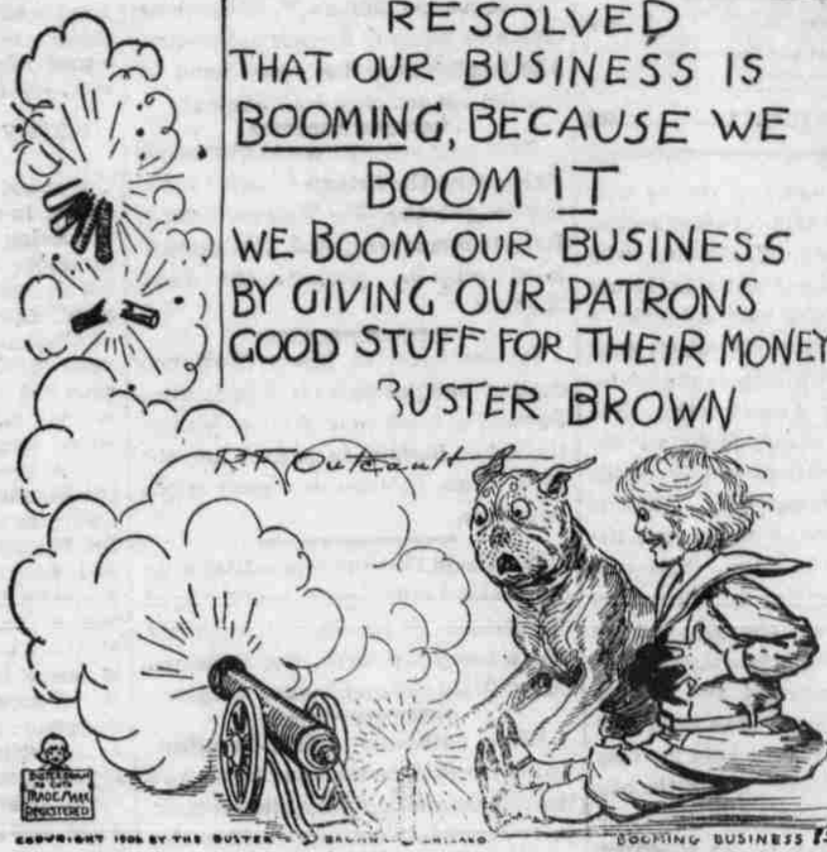
R. W. Barkham, who came here from California with the intention of becoming a partner in the Weston Flour Mill concern has decided to go to Elgin.

Miss Hazel Dowd, the only pupil in the Rawhide district to take the county eighth grade examination, received her papers today. Her record was the best made, 90 per cent being the lowest made in any study.

Bargains in Automobiles. Closing out at greatly reduced prices entire stock of second hand autos. Here are the cars: all are great bargains for the money: Ford 6 cylinder, 7 passenger, 1907 model, in fine condition, \$2,000; Ford, 4 cylinder, 5 passenger, good condition, \$1,000; 2 cylinder 5 passenger Reo, touring car, just overhauled and painted, \$700; 2 cylinder Ford just overhauled and painted \$800; 4 cylinder Ford runabout, just overhauled and painted, \$500; single cylinder Olds runabout, 8 horse power in good running condition, new tires, \$300; another single cylinder Olds runabout 5 horse power, good running condition, \$150. Orient buckboard, \$150. Detailed description on any of the above; mail orders promptly attended to. Don't wait. These snaps will not last long. Walla Walla Motor Car Co. Walla Walla.

Want Orchard's Testimony. The San Francisco Gas Company filed a petition on a writ of mandate with the California supreme court seeking to compel Judge Graham to appoint a commission to take the testimony of Harry Orchard in support of the company's appeal from a judgment rendered against it for \$10,000, in favor of Walter Linforth for the destruction of a flat owned by him, by a gas explosion. The supreme court issued an alternative writ returnable July 6. Orchard's execution is set for July 2.

On a Broader Basis. In one of the most important meetings of the Board of Trustees of Whitman College held in years, the Board last week adopted the new constitution which makes Whitman a broader and more representative college than before, non-sectarian but strongly Christian. The most significant thing was the election of the new board of overseers provided for under the new constitution, which, including the trustees, numbers sixty-four of the most prominent men in the Northwest.



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