

Press Paragraphs

Henry Stamper of Weston was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Banister were in Pendleton Saturday.

"Doc" Booher of Lewiston, is visiting relatives in Athena.

Mayor McEwen transacted business in Pendleton Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Baker and children left for Portland, Sunday.

The Misses Grace and Ethel Johnson visited in Weston Saturday.

Attorney Wilson was in Pendleton Monday, on legal business.

Marion Jack shook hands with Athena friends, Wednesday.

Walter Judy came in from Seattle Saturday and visited friends.

Mrs. Luedtke visited relatives and friends in Walla Walla this week.

Dressed hogs brought 10 cents per pound in the local market, Monday.

Attorney Watts went to Toppenish, Wash., on professional business, Saturday.

George Wall returned to Pendleton Friday after visiting his parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James Conly returned from a two weeks' visit in Portland, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kirk went over to Walla Walla Monday, returning on the evening train.

Mrs. Masterson had the misfortune to fall recently, and as a result the left arm was slightly fractured.

For sale or trade—a complete steam stationary threshing outfit. Inquire of Jas. Bryan, Athena Oregon.

For rent—a four room cottage on the West side. Apply to Miss Wright, cashier at Mosgrove Mercantile Co's.

Word comes from Brownsville that George Gross' father is slightly improved. The old gentleman was seriously ill last week and George was summoned to his bedside.

Members of the Farmers' Co-operative Union of three states met in Walla Walla this week. The meetings were addressed by able speakers and attendance was good.

A fine new dental chair and other fixtures were received this week by Dr. Dwyer. His office is now splendidly equipped and he is prepared to give his patients every convenience.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. LeGrow went over to Walla Walla Monday morning and joined the party of California excursionists.

Miss Rinar, the Spokane deaconess, who assisted in the revival meetings at the Methodist church, went to Heppner, Monday.

Master Fred Armstrong, who has been spending the winter with his aunt, Mrs. Lillie Miller, returned to his home in Seattle, Friday.

John Macbeth. Refreshments will be served and a good social time is assured. All members and visiting neighbors are urged to attend.

Athena Camp No. 171, W. O. W. will hold a meeting Wednesday evening February 2, 1910. Head Advisor J. C. Veale will be present and address the camp, also Deputy Organizer.

When the snow went off with a rush Tuesday, the water flooded the basements of several Main street business houses, and the usual pumping out process will have to be resorted to, in the spring.

The uncertainty of trains, as the result of high water, caused Athena chicken fanciers to forego the pleasure of attending the Walla Walla poultry show. However, Pendleton will offer a like attraction next week.

The statue of Marous Whitman, which was presented to the college last fall by the Walla Walla Commercial club was blown over by the strong wind early yesterday morning and now lies a hopeless wreck on the college campus.

Dr. Plamondon had on exhibition at the Palace drug store this week, a fine tear skin rug. The bear was killed by a sheep herder near Woodward's toll gate and the doctor secured the pelt and sent it to a Denver taxidermist for mounting.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor McDonald died at Long Beach, California, January 6, of pneumonia. The child was a year and a half old, and had been in delicate health for some time. Friends here will extend sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Deputy Grand Chancellor Yoran met with the members of Pythian Lodge No. 39, K. of P., last evening. There was a good attendance, and the result was that an interesting session was held. The deputy Grand Chancellor delivered a splendid address.

Considerable excitement was caused at Walla Walla Tuesday when the furnace becoming overheated set the basement of the beautiful Christian church building on fire. The flames were extinguished by the chemical engine before much damage resulted.

Albert Brouillard died Friday of pneumonia. The funeral services were held Sunday at the home south of town, interment taking place in the Athena cemetery. The wife, a mother of six little children, is dangerously ill with pneumonia, and little hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Milt Swaggart comes to town all trigged out in a new fur overcoat, cap and gloves. Time was when you would have guessed that such an outfit bespoke one more Alberta convert and that he was going up to buy a section or two of land, but now fur wearing apparel is common here and comfortable, too.

A party of Adams young people came to Athena Thursday evening to attend church. Those that came were Reno Green and Frank Krebs, Stella and Lucy Lieuallen, George Woodard, Lyle McIntyre and Marie McIntyre, Ethel Paringer, Selia Simington, Ruth Hagar, Aileen Bowling, Elma Stockton.

The annual ball, given by Stevens Lodge K. of P. of Weston Friday night resulted in the usual pleasure and success that comes with these yearly events. Owing to the bad condition of the roads, Athena was not as well represented as it has been in the past. Those who did attend had a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McKay arrived in Athena Tuesday morning from Cape Breton, Canada. They will visit relatives in Athena and vicinity for some time. Mrs. McKay has been here several times since going to Canada to make her home, but this is Alex's first visit for years. Apparently time has dealt gently with him, and he is the same old genial Alex.

The Misses Forrest entertained a few friends at their home on 6th and Jefferson streets Thursday evening, from 8 to 11. The principal feature of the evening was a mock marriage, in which "Miss Genevieve Helen Spaulding" and "Rudolph Rothchild" were united. A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Forrest. Those present were: Misses Kathleen McEwen, Marguerite Forrest, Laura McIntyre, Arleta Rothrock, Zelma DePeatt, Jessica McEwen, Belle McIntyre, Merna DePeatt and Neva Forrest.

High waters caused by rapidly melting snow was responsible for washouts on both the O. R. & N. and the Northern Pacific, Tuesday. The Spokane train only went to Prescott and returned in the evening to Pendleton. The local was annulled and came up Wednesday morning returning from Walla Walla about noon. Weak track was reported in the vicinity of Adams. The serious washouts occurred beyond Walla Walla. A considerable amount of water came down the flat, flooding the lumber yard. The water reached its highest point at 6 o'clock, Tuesday evening but a falling temperature prevented further rise, and the waters subsided without the disastrous results of last year.

Joint Installation.

Joint installation of officers of Wild Horse Lodge, I. O. O. F. and Mignonette Rebekah lodge was held in I. O. O. F. Hall Saturday evening. The installation ceremonies were impressive and interesting. Refreshments were served. The following officers were installed:

S. C. Stone, Noble Grand; Sam Hutt, vice grand; C. T. Smith, Recording secretary; M. L. Watts, Financial secretary; George W. Gross, Treasurer; H. O. Worthington, warden; M. Kelly, conductor; A. Langberg, Inside guard; Nova Desper, outside guard; A. L. Swaggart, R. S. N. G.; Harry McBride, L. S. N. G.; A. J. Walker, R. S. V. G.; W. W. Jacobs, L. S. V. G.; J. D. Plamondon, R. S. S.; Fred Wilson, L. S. S.; J. B. Dickenson, chaplain.

Rebekahs.

Mrs. Mary Gross, P. G.; Mrs. Addie Stone, N. G.; Mrs. M. L. Watts, R. S. N. G.; Mrs. J. C. Stamper, L. S. N. G.; Mrs. Ida Hutt, vice G.; Mrs. A. J. Walker, R. S. V. G.; Mrs. Lillian Dobson, L. S. V. G.; Mrs. Mary Worthington, chaplain; Mrs. Harry McBride, secretary; Mrs. M. L. Watts financial secretary; Mrs. S. F. Sharp, treasurer; Miss Eva Wright, warden; Mr. J. H. Stone, conductor; Mr. M. Kelly, I. G.; Mr. A. L. Swaggart, O. G.

On a flashlight put on smaller size, even pocket pistols, so that rever the searchlight strikes there bullet hits, making the taking of unnecessary. This pistol method devised by the inventor for police to use on burglars and other felons.

Poor John!

Philadelphian who was formerly agent of a town in the north of The New Schedule.

The new schedule which went into effect Sunday places No. 8, the Spokane passenger in this city at 8:05 a. m. and makes it possible for Athena people going to Walla Walla to have several hours there before returning on the evening train. The Walla Walla-Pendleton local and No. 8 pass at this point.

Baptist Church Notes.

Services at the Baptist church on Sunday as usual. Bible school 10 a. m.; worship, with sermon by Pastor Ryder at 11 o'clock; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 and a good, rousing song and preaching service at 7:30. Come and enjoy these services, especially the evening service.

Card of Thanks.

The family and relatives of Albert Brouillard who died Friday, desire to thank all for the many kindnesses shown them in their bereavement.

Athena Department Store

20 per cent or 1-5 off
on every article in our large stock of merchandise

During January Sale

We do not confine your selections to counter and shelf worn odds and ends but the best is offered you without reserve.

\$30,000 STOCK

Well assorted, mostly new goods to select from. Prints net 20 yds for \$1; Cabot W unbleached 14 yds for \$1; Best 12 1-2c Lonsdale bleached at 10c; \$5 shoes for \$4; \$4.50 shoes, \$3.60; \$3.50 shoes, \$2.80; \$3 shoes, \$2.40 Our \$15 Leister mens suits sold for \$20 at Walla Walla Sale price \$12. All graniteware at wholesale cost.

STEWART & BROWN, Main Street, Athena, Oregon.

Mosgrove Mercantile Company

Athena Oregon

Great sale of Ladies Mens and Childrens ready to wear garments. In addition to our great ready to wear sale, we shall have a special remnant sale commencing Monday January 3, 1910. All remnants and odd pieces of goods will be cleaned out regardless of cost. We must have room for the new spring goods, already on the way.

Mosgrove Mercantile Company

Davis-Kaser's

13th Annual January Clearance Sale
Is now in Full Blast



There never was such a sale as this. Home furnishings actually going at factory cost and some for less. Our slogan is

We Must Raise Cash

and prices have been made to accomplish our purpose. No matter what you want to furnish your home with, you will save many dollars by purchasing at this great sale. Never has there been such a tremendous reduction of prices.

Thousands of People

have already taken advantage of our special offerings but we still have plenty for you for as you know, we have by far the largest and most complete stock of home furnishings within hundreds of miles of Walla Walla.

Don't put off coning

of writing a minute longer than is necessary for you can't tell when this sale will end for our object is to raise a certain amount of cash and when this is done, off come the "yellow tags." You buy just as cheaply of us whether you live here or not, and if you don't live here, we pay the freight on purchases if they amount to \$10 or over.



The Davis-Kaser Company
Walla, Walla, Wash (The home of Greater Whitman)
Branch Store at Pasco, Wash.