

## Press Paragraphs

Standard Patterns at Fix & Radtke's. Hamp Boober came over from Weston yesterday and spent the day.

Cashier Kemp of the Weston bank, was in the city Monday evening.

Attorney and Mrs. Homer I. Watts were in Pendleton Tuesday evening.

J. M. Davis of Walla Walla, was registered at the St. Nichols yesterday.

Mrs. W. R. Taylor spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Pendleton, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Wood came in from Walla Walla on yesterday morning's train.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bryan were in the city yesterday from their farm near Helix.

Mrs. Henry Wood, who has been in failing health for some time, is reported better.

Plenty of moisture out in the Cold Springs country—four inches of snow out there Wednesday.

Will Potts was in from his Helix ranch yesterday and renewed his subscription to the Press.

M. L. Watts and F. S. LeGrow attended the Elks stag meeting at Pendleton Tuesday night.

W. H. Wray, the Pendleton marble dealer, was in the city Tuesday accompanied by his wife.

Mayor McEwen and Cashier LeGrow are in Portland, having gone down to the metropolis on Wednesday evening.

I make a specialty of shoe repairing. Prices reasonable and work guaranteed. Shop second door south of Bank. F. Miller.

L. R. Scrimsher, of Freeewater, was in the city yesterday. He is employed by the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph company.

A. M. Meldrum was in Pendleton Tuesday and attended the Sunday School convention and banquet at the M. E. church in that city.

G. H. McDonald, of Nebraska, traveling for a California lumber company, was in the city last week, a guest of his cousin, Mrs. Byron N. Hawks.

Burton Strout, a Pendleton young man, died in that city Tuesday of typhoid fever. The remains were interred in Walla Walla cemetery Wednesday.

Miss Lillian McDonald left Sunday morning for her home in Spokane, after spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. B. N. Hawks, in this city.

A Knights of Pythias lodge was instituted at Hermiston last evening. Many Knights from the different lodges of the county were in attendance.

Walter Ely came over from Boise and spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Athens. Walter is a lusty toaster Boise and the Snake river valley.

A new lathe is being installed this week at Coopers & Zetba's blacksmith shop. Next week an air compressor will be put in, its service to be used for the inflation of automobile tires.

E. C. Sanderson, editor of the Free-water Times, has taken out his final naturalization papers and is now a full fledged citizen of his Uncle Samuel's domain.

Tomorrow evening the annual district convention of the Knights of Pythias will convene at Pendleton. A number of the members of the local lodge will attend.

In a case appealed from Marion county, Judge H. J. Bean of Pendleton who recently took his seat on the supreme bench, has rendered his first opinion by reversing the lower court's decision.

S. F. Wilson is having his acreage tract cleared of trees and underbrush, preparatory to putting the land under cultivation. A. B. McEwen is also having his tract cleared.

The county court, comprising Judge Maloney and Commissioners Walker and Cookburn, were in the city yesterday for the purpose of viewing road improvements adjacent to the city.

Fred Flint returned Sunday morning from Franklin county, Iowa, where he has been for several weeks. His mother, whose ill health occasioned his return home, died before his departure for this place.

Bundy & Christian, the painters, this week replaced the plate glass windows which were cracked in the front of the Mosgrove Mercantile company store by the heat from the Taggart store several weeks ago.

The Baptist Missionary society was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. J. Kirk. After the program and business session, a luncheon was served by the hostess, such as only Mrs. Kirk can prepare.

The second sermon in the series on "The Bible Standard of Christian Living," will be delivered in the Methodist pulpit, Sunday morning, "Judas Iscariot." We kindly invite the public to attend. Thos. Lawson.

Furniture and household goods at the Taggart sale Monday, brought good prices and everything offered was sold. Mr. and Mrs. Taggart are visiting relatives in Malheur county, and will return to Athens next week.

C. C. Baker, former principal of the Athens school left Tuesday for Salem. When he left, Mr. Baker had not determined what his future movements would be. Prof. Pate assumed the duties of principal of the school Monday.

Herman Beverly was in Athens the first of the week visiting numerous friends. Mr. Beverly was on his return trip from his home in North Carolina, where he spent the holidays. He returned to Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Lienallen and baby were in the city last week from their home in Pilot Rock, visiting at the home of her brother, Byron Hawks. Mrs. Lienallen came up also for the purpose of seeing her father, R. O. Hawks, who was ill here.

The first consignment of goods for the grocery department of Fix & Radtke's store arrived this week. The shipment consists principally of coffee, tea and spices. The other lines have been in transit for several days and will arrive shortly.

Among the appointments made at Washington, D. C., this week, is that of H. O. Worthington, postmaster for Athens. Mr. Worthington has been serving as temporary postmaster since the death of L. A. Githens, and now enters on a four year term.

A splendid time was enjoyed by the Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their friends at the joint installation of officers Saturday evening. After the installing of the officers took place, all sat down to a sumptuous banquet and the remainder of the evening was spent socially.

"My Dixie Girl" will appear at the opera house tonight. The play deals with Southern life, the plot of the beautiful story being laid in the Kentucky hills. The piece is one of intense heart interest and the company is said to be above the average that appear in towns the size of Athens.

Harry McBride has installed a nicely arranged closet for storing robes, blankets and other apparel comfortable to travelers taking rides during cold weather. "Peck" demonstrates that he is a crackerjack everyman by the energy he displays in keeping up to date and abreast of the times.

The promptness exercised by B. B. Richards, the local insurance agent, in settling the loss sustained by the Mosgrove Mercantile company with-out any solicitation whatever on the part of the firm, is but one more in-

stance wherein is demonstrated the better and safer plan of dealing with reliable home agents. The other two losses resulting from the fire represented by outside agencies have not yet been adjusted.

Rev. W. R. Manley, who for a long period of years worked in the Telegu missionary field in India, gave an address before an interested audience at the Baptist church in this city last evening. Mr. Manley demonstrated that Telegu work is one of the most marvelous of modern missionary effort.

Col. F. G. Lucas, Weston's gilded, stunning auctioneer, spent a few hours in the city Monday. Between trains he cried the Taggart sale, breezily buzzed around among his numerous friends, made a real estate deal or two and span Pendletonward on the evening train. "Luke" is some goer.

When the Dayton High school meets the Athena High school basketball team tomorrow evening, there is bound to be a humming good game. The local team is in prime condition for the event and the Dayton lads will be compelled to put forth all they have to win. The attendance promises to be all that it should be.

Mrs. Mary Gross was given a check for \$1,837 Monday, in payment of the beneficiary policy held by her late husband, J. E. Gross, in the Macca-bees. Mr. Gross held membership in Tent No. 7, of the order located at Lebanon, Oregon. The payment of the policy was made with characteristic promptness of the Macca-bees.

A social meeting will be held on Thursday evening, January 19, by members of Pythian Lodge No. 29, K. of P., and their families. An excellent program is being prepared and it is the request of the committee having the arrangements in hand that the members see to it that well filled baskets make their appearance on that evening.

"Doo" O'Harra, known to a few people by his real name, Marion, came over from Weston yesterday and expatiated on the weather and kindred topics. As a weather prophet, "Doo" has old man Hicks skinned to a frazzle. He is some chunks on hydrophobia, and informs us that he has had a certain Weston editor on a diet of sourdough greens for two months, but notes little change in the patient. This remedy failing, "Doo" will try a solution of whey and peanut shells.

The Miller & West well boring machine is at work on the Lookwood tract south of town. Mr. Lookwood has contracted for a hundred foot well but there is a possibility of his deciding to extend the depth of the well down 300 feet. This would bring it to the level where the artesian flow was encountered in the well that was drilled for the Athena Land & Trust company. Should this be done, Mr. Miller believes strongly in the possibility of striking a stronger flow than the first well gives.

Misses Marguerite and Neva Forest entertained Saturday night in honor of Miss Agnes Remillard of Walla Walla. Games and dancing were indulged in until a late hour when dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses. Those present were: Agnes Remillard, Walla Walla; Areta Rothrock, Kittle Gholson, Lela Lienallen, Marguerite Forest, Neva Forest, Athens; Messrs. Elmer Brunton, Walla Walla; George Clark and Wayne Chapman Pendleton; Luvois McEwen, Sheldon Taylor, Maurice Hill, Clarence Brotherton, George Forest and Roy Burke, Athens.

Tonight is the date set for the entertainment given by A. M. Meldrum at the Christian church. This is a lecture which has been delivered by Mr. Meldrum in some of the largest cities of the world, including Glasgow, Scotland, London England, Sidney and Melbourne, Australia, and cities in China, in India, and also in the United States. Mr. Meldrum is widely traveled, and tells in an entertaining and graphic manner of the interesting lands he has visited. The subject of his lecture this evening is "The World's Wonderland; Nature's Scenic Masterpiece," and will be illustrated.

## Good-bye, Profits!

Next Christmas is a long way off, and we don't want to carry our left-over Novelties until then; so we'll give them to you for one-third off, in exchange for cash to put in our Spring stock. They'll come handy when you want to give a birthday gift, and no one will be the wiser that you have saved the jeweler's profit on them. And some of these things are so cute that you will want to make a gift to yourself.

**H. H. Hill, Jeweler**  
Athens

**CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS**  
Furniture Repairing, Cabinet Work, etc. Prices right.  
**DESPER & SON, . . . Athens,**

**Foley's Kidney Cure**  
makes kidneys and bladder right.

# NEW GOODS HERE

## Dependable Tea, Coffee, Spices and Extracts

We have received a full line of Dependable tea, coffee, extracts and spices, and we invite you to come to our Store and give this line a trial. By the end of the week, we expect to have a

## splendid line of fresh groceries

which we intend to sell at the lowest prices. We've bought one of the best lines of groceries and intend to carry a large stock. Remember, our goods are sold with guarantee to give Satisfaction or money refunded.

We have some more Mens and Womens Shoes on the way from the factory, which we expect to arrive any time, now.

## FIX & RADTKE Athena Department Store

## Mosgrove Mercantile Company

South Side Main Street      Athena Oregon

## Great Slaughter Sale of Ladies' Suits, Dress Skirts, Ladies' & Children Cloaks

Now is the time to prepare for cold weather. Every garment marked down. They must be sold regardless of cost or value. The knife has cut deep. The prices will astonish you. Nothing held back. All the latest uptodate garments included in this Great Slaughter Sale

Ladies Suits		Ladies' Cloaks	
\$30.00 Suits are now reduced to	\$21.50	\$20.00 Cloaks are now reduced to	\$13.75
27.50	19.75	18.50	12.50
25.00	17.50	15.00	9.75
19.00	12.75	13.50	8.75
MISSES and CHILDREN'S CAPES		MISSES and CHILDREN'S CLOAKS	
\$3.50 Capes, Splendid Values, now	\$2.75	\$3.25 Bearskin and Fancy Plush,	\$2.25
6.50	3.75	5.00 Fancy Possum & other styles	3.50

About 50 Garments carried over from last season, goods that cost from \$6.50 to \$10.50, your choice of each during this great slaughter Sale at . . . . **\$2.95**

**B. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS WITH EVERY CASH PURCHASE**

## New Year Greetings

It has been our pleasure to serve you during the year just ended, and we earnestly purpose to serve you during the coming year. We want you to accept our hearty thanks and appreciation for your patronage and hope for your continued good will.

The new year follows closely upon the heels of 1910, with every indication pointing to an unusually prosperous period. May the sun of prosperity shine upon you and yours and may you reap the harvest you are striving for.

**WATCH FOR NEXT WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENT.**

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