Press Paragraphs

Athena vs.

La Salle of Walla Walla

Athena grounds, Sunday 2:30 p. m Win Burden went to Pasco Tuesday.

Ed Ringel was in the city Tuesday

J. T. Lieuallen was in town Tuesday

Miss Gladys Smith spent Sunday with friends in Athena.

H. A. Barrett transacted business in Pendleton Wednesday.

Ira McDonald transacted business in Walla Walla Saturday.

Miss Lura Flock of Helix, visited friends in Athena Saturday. Alex. McIntyre was in town Monday

from his farm near Weston. Miss Erma King spent Saturday and

Sanday with friends in Athens.

Mr, and Mrs. I. M. Kemp were in the city Saturday from Weston. Mrs. D. B. Jarman of Weston visit-

ed relatives in Athena Saturday. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mor-

risette, May 1, 1912, a daughter. Rofus Campbell and family visited

at the Caplinger home this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wray of Pendleton spent Wednesday in the city.

A new sidewalk adorns the front of Dr. Dell's residence on Third street. Miss Lucile Kemp was the guest of

Mis. Byton N. Hawks over Sunday. If you want the best shoes that money can buy, go to Fix & Radtke's. Proebstel, at Weston, has oboice alfalfa seed in quantity at low prices.

Mrs. S. A. Barnes and son, Sidney, were in the city Tuesday from Weston. Mrs. Harry McBride entertained her mother, Mrs. Darr, of Adams, this

Emery Staggs came over from Weston Sunday and spent the day with

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Johnson of Walla Walla, visited relatives in Athena Saturday.

Miss Ethel Waddingham of Weston, was an over Sunday visitor with Athena friends.

Walla Walla high school, was in the city Saturday. J. A. Kirk is at Hot Lake, where

be is taking treatment. His wife spent Sunday with him. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lieuallen of

Weston, were present at the atbletic meet in this city Saturday. Mrs. Lillian Downs-Dobson closed a

very successful term of school at La-Misses Neva and Marguerite Forrest attended the track meet Saturday and

spent Sunday with Athena friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Griswold, of Paulson, B. C, are in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C.

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Saturday and Sunday at their home in | services.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johns and Mrs. M. L. Watts spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rogers

For Sale.-Full blooded Brown Leghorn, Plymouth Rock, R. I. Red, turkey and duck eggs at reasonable prices. Phone 31x3.

Splendid growing weather has brought Athena gardens to the front and early vegetables, home grown, will soon be in evidence.

I. E. Young, principal of the Milton schools and nominee of the reputlican party for county school superintend ent, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. L. Dell writes her relatives that she arrived safely at her destination in Missouri. She will receive

the Press during her visit in the east. William H. Babb, a former Umatillla county resident, died of heart failure yesterday at Medicine Hat,

Canada, while driiving an automobile. Many Weston people attended the county track meet in this city Saturday. Hacks were run tetween the two towns for the convenience of visitors.

Charles W. Meighen, who recently resigned the editorship of the Peudleton Live Wire, has been elected secletary of the Weiser, Idaho, Commer-

An interesting ball game recently took place between the teams of Helix | through the city Saturday en route to and Waterman. The game went 10 Pendleton, where they filled an eninnings. Waterman winning by the gagement at the Peoples Warehouse.

Mrs. Jane Harden bas been confined to her home with illness for the past two weeks, but is reported better at this time. She was threatened with severe case of pneumonia.

S. F. Wilson is up from Portland. Mr. Wilson recently traded for a quarter section of land under the reclamation, project near Hermistop. The land is valued at \$100 per acre.

Crusey's Bakery and Hawks' drugstore are both fully equipped to supply the wants of the thirsty. Ice cream and the various summer drinks are now on tap at these two places.

The Sunshine club met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Piper last Thursday, and a most enjoyable afternoon was passed. The next meeting will be held next Thursday at the home of Mrs. Charles Prof. F. C. Heck, principal of the Gerking.

> Manuel Friedley, demonratio nomnee for county commissioner, was in the city Saturday. Mr. Friedley is confident that he will be elected to fill the office to which he has been nominated, and his friends think like-

James Baldwin and William Anderson. Each was fined \$50 and costs, totaling \$62.25. The men were apprehended by Deputy Game Warden

In the M. E. church Sunday, the services will be as follows: Sunday school 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. subject, "Home," Young people's meeting at 6:30; preaching at 7:30,

BARNES

Twice

came up from Pendleton and spent te made most welcome at all these

Pat Wynne, who played with the Athena team in an outfield position has the sympathy of Athena friends. last year, and was released by Pendleton this week, has found a berth with LaGrande's pitching staff is the inter-

The interior of the First National tures have the appearance of being

During the rain storm here Monday evening, Pendleton was visited by an electrical storm. Thunder and light ning played hide and seek over the county seat for the first time this sea-

Prior Shaw and Stella King, of Her-Pendleton Wednesday. The bride is or. The Band will give concerts dura daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles ing the summer months. King formerly of Athena, and is only sixteen years of age.

Homer Davenport, the famous cartoonist, died yesterday in New York City. Davenport was born at Silverton, this state, March 8 1867. He was one of the greatest caricaturists of the age and had traveled extensively.

The county clerk paid bounty on 443 coyote scalps during the month of April. A large number of dens were discovered and pups captured and dis patched, is the reason given for the large number of coyotes killed.

The Ladies' Band of Weston passed The band favored Athena with a couple of well rendered selections.

Owen Russie has completed a pair of boots for an Indian customer which are a novelty so far as decoration is concerned. The boots are ornamented with the figure of a human band in bright red and brown colors.

Misses Zelma DePeatt and Lula Tharp went over to Walla Walla last evening, where Miss DePeatt participated in a contest for scholarshp in the Whitman conservatory of music. They returned home this morning.

Homer I. Watts is interested in the circulation of petitions against the proposed single tax bill. Petitions may be found for signing at the office of B. B. Richards, the First National Bank, C. A. Barrett & Co.'s and Dell Bros.

The wife of Rev. W. S. Payne of Weston, was taken to Walla Walla last week, where she underwent a surgioal operation. At last reports she was still in a serious condition, but hopes for her recovery are entertained.

Mrs. H. C. Caplinger was taken to the Walla Walla hospital last Wednesday. Mrs. Caplinger has been in poor health for some time. She is afflicted with dropsy and is in a serious condition. Her Athena friends hope for her early recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L Swaggart and children came up from Peudleton Tuesday and are at their home north of town. Mr. Swaggart has traded his apartment house in Portland for suburban property and will probably | hood hid their gold and valuables in return to Portland this fall to reside.

Lumber for building new cross walks has been obtained by the city and the work of putting them down is now under way. For the most part, property owners have responded to official orders to rebuild and repair sidewalks, the result being that walks are being rebuilt in different parts of

The program at the Dreamland for Friday and Saturday nights: 1,— "The Strategy of Anne," Vitagraph. 2 .- "The Novice," Selige. 3 .- "The Wager and the Wage Earners." Edison. Sunday evening: 1.-"For Her Brother's Sake," Vita. 2.—"The Russiau Gypsy," Pathe. 3.—"Cure for Dyspepsia," Edison.

Charles Smith, who recently purchased the Dell land adjoining Athena on the northwest, will plant a considerable portion of the place to corn this year. He has sown about four acres to alfalfa. Mr. Smith intends to improve the place for a home. For a fraction over 43 acres, he paid

Wines are the staples in family liqours. Bert Cartano carries a large and varied stock of select vintages. \$1.50 per gallon, you can get choice Tokay, Muscat, Angelica, Sweet Catawba or Port. These are California's best product and give satisfaction wherever used. Call at the "Goat" for the best and purest liquors.

Next Tuesday, May 7th, at 2:30 the egular mouthly meeting of the C W. B. M. will be held at the home of Mrs Henry Koepke, southeast of town. The ladies wishing to attend will congregate at the Obristian church at 2 o'clock, where they will be met by those having conveyances, and driven to the Kcepke bome.

Wire worms are reported to be devestating the potatoes planted for this season's crop on the tottom land south of town. Four acres of spuds planted on the Boober place has been attacked by the worm and will probably have to be replanted. The cold weather is said to be the cause for the appearance of the worms in large

B. H. Milliken is prepared to give old time customers of the shop measurements taken by James Coulsy. Mr. Milliken bas all the Conley measprements on file. Orders for summer suits are now being taken by Mr. Milliken from splendid lines of samples. Careful attention is given to the cleaning and pressing department of the

With Brown and Lobaugh for the battery Sunday, the Cubs defeated Milton-Freewater by the score of 8 to . There were some clever plays pulled off ty both teams. A fast game is scheduled for Sunday, when the LaSalle team of Walia Walia comes to town to try out for honors with the Cubs. Weston defeated the bome team Saturday, 9 to 2.

At Othello, Wash., a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henry, on morning; thence to Almack's, where he April 14th 1912 and on the same day won £6,000, and between 3 and 4 in the the little one died. Mrs. Henry is re- afternoon he set out for Newmarket."

Misses Katherine and Carrie Sharp subject, "Christ Thwarted." You will ported to be in a very critical condition from blood poisoning and grave doubts are expressed by physicians as to her recovery. The husband

> Mr. George Carmichael Jr. and Miss Mabel Graham of Weston were united in marriage in this city Tuesday, by Rev. Lawson of the M. E. church. The wedding ceremony took Bank has a most refreshing appear- place in the M. E. church of Athena ance, as the result of new coats of in the presence of relatives and varnish. Both wood work and fix- friends. The couple are well known in the Weston neighborhood, where they have a large number of friends.

> Mayor Kcontz circulated a sutscription paper for the benefit of the Athena Band this week. He met with a generous response from the business men and citizens who subscribed various sums to be paid monthly for a period not to exceed four months. The subscriptions will te used to pay for miston, were noited in marriage at the services of Prof. Smith, the direct-

> > From time to time, Byron Hawks has been annoyed by some one helping bimself to things about his premises. Some time ago a blanket and dishpan disappeared, and eggs were taken from his hen house. This week a couple of White Orpington chicks were stolen from the brooder. Mr. Hawks says he has a clew to the thief and hereafter will be prepared to receive him in a manner unexpected.

At a special meeting of the Athena Commercial Association Wednesday evening, a committee was appointed to interview the business men and citizens to ascertain the sentiment regarding celebrating July 4th in Athens. With its fine Park, offering cool shade to visitors, and a splendid band, it is believed Athena has as valuable assets for a successful Fourth of July celebration as any other town in this section.

At a meeting of the Athena Band Wednesday evening, E. E. Koontz, Byron Hawks and B. B. Richards were elected business managers of the organization. Prof. Edgar Smith was elected director and leader, and it is the purpose of the band to rehearse regularly and become as proficient as possible under Prof. Smith's leadership. The band has offered to play at Pendleton and Walla Walla July 4, but should Athena celebrate, they will remain here.

J. M. Swaggart this week received from J. W. Hibbard's Mound Spring herd of Berkshire bogs a thoroughbred registered gili, sired by the famous Hopeful Lee 2nd, No. 122,143. Its dam is Master's Bessie 14th. No. 120 .-219 and the pig itself is registered under the name of Master's Bessie 26th. This is undoubtedly one of the test pigs ever shipped into the county and is a valuable addition to Mr. Swaggart's fine herd of Perkshires.

HIDDEN TREASURE.

Guard a Precious Secret.

A small building popularly known as "The Church of Hidden Treasure' stands in the little town of Barelas, N. M. During the Mexican war many of the richest families in the neighborall sorts of curious places.

Senor Sandoval, a very rich landowner, chose the thick walls of the village church as his treasure vault, according to a writer in the Wide World, and tradition says that the precious hoard has never been removed.

Only a few years ago several groups of men, armed with pickaxes, crowbars and other implements, besieged the place in search of the fabulous wealth said to be concealed somewhere on the premises. The treasure is believed to be contained in a large wooden chest, such as most of the wealthy Mexicans formerly possessed. It is claimed that the box contained thousands of dollars in gold, besides emeralds, diamonds and pearls, set in pure native gold.

The Sandoval family, however, guard the place most carefully, while they in turn are jealously watched to see that they do not disturb the church property. Bold and daring plans are sometimes laid, but nothing seems to come of them, and the ancient building still guards its precious secret.

CHEMICALS IN WOOD.

Why Timber Cut In Winter Is Better Than That Cut In Summer.

Timber cut in spring and in summer is not so durable as that cut in winter. The durability depends not only upon the greater or less density, but also upon the presence of certain chemical constituents in the wood.

Thus a large proportion of resinous matter increases the durability, while the presence of easily soluble carbohydrates diminishes it considerably. During the growing season the wood

of trees contains sulphuric acid and potassium, both of which are solvents of carbohydrates, starch, resins and gums. They are known to soften also the ligneous tissue to a considerable

During the summer months the wood of living trees contains eight times as much sulphuric acid and five times as much potassium as it does during the winter months. The presence of these two chemical substances during the growing season constitutes the chief factor in dissolving the natural preserv atives within the wood and in preparing the wood for the different kinds of wood destroying fungi.-Scientific

An Age of Great Gamblers. The eighteenth century was the age of the great gamblers. On Feb. 6, 1772, there was a debate in the house of commons on the thirty-nine articles, and it was noticed that Fox spoke

very indifferently.

Horace Walpole suggests an explanation: "He had sat up playing at hazard at Almack's from Tuesday evening, the 4th, till 5 in the afternoon of Wednesday, 5th. An hour before he had recovered £12,000 that he had lost, and by dinner, which was at 5 o'clock, he had ended losing £11,000. On the Thursday he spoke in the above debate, went to dinner at 11:30 at night, from there to White's, when he drank till 7 the next

Athena's Department Store

To the buying public and throngs which took advantage of the cut prices during our big Sale, we wish to thank one and all. We feel sure that each and every article and piece of merchandise purchased in the past as well as in the future, will prove to you to be the best that money can buy direct from the manufacturer. Remember, we don't search the country over for bankrupt and "tail-end" stocks that have been on the shelves so long they have worn the owner out trying to sell them, and finally disposes of them for 20 or 30 cents on the dollar to some racket store to deceive its customers. We sell you merchandise of highest quality and charge you the lowest possible live and let live prices.

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