

Press Paragraphs

Ad Pinkerton was over from Milton yesterday.

A. L. Swaggart spent Monday in Pendleton.

Joseph N. Scott has placed an order for a Ford machine.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John T. King, April 27, 1913, a son.

Mrs. G. W. Probstel, of Weston, was in the city Friday.

N. A. Miller transacted business in Walla Walla, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wilkay motored to Walla Walla Sunday.

Carl Christian is holding down the first chair in A. J. Parker's shop.

Miss Doris Barnes, of Weston, was a guest of Athena friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor McDonald were in the city this week from Walla Walla.

Jas. Price, a prominent wheat buyer of Weston had business in Athena Friday.

Mrs. Jas. Bryan was up from her home in Helix Friday visiting Athena friends.

Mrs. L. S. Vincent has spent the week in Pendleton, taking medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams were in the city Wednesday from their home near Adams.

Letober Norvell, a prominent young farmer and business man of Helix, was in the city Tuesday.

A son was born to Prof. and Mrs. Kyle McDaniel, on April 28, 1913, at their home in Adams.

E. A. Dudley and M. L. Watts motored to Pendleton yesterday where they transacted business.

E. H. Benn, bookkeeper at the Morgue Mercantile store, spent Sunday with relatives at Milton.

Mrs. Victor Burke and little son have been visiting at the home of her parents in Pendleton this week.

Clark Nelson, representing the New York Life Insurance company, was in town yesterday from Pendleton.

Announcement is made that Tomahawk Park, on the Walla Walla river, will be opened for the season, next Sunday.

Mother's Day will be observed at the Methodist Episcopal church by special service May 11th at eleven o'clock.

Mrs. M. L. Watts and Vernita arrived home Sunday, from Long Beach, Cal., and are pleased to greet home friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Staggs of Weston, were in the city Saturday, and were interested spectators at the athletic meet.

The Pendleton base ball team opened the season at home Tuesday by squelching the Boise players by the score of 15 to 5.

Dr. S. P. Sharp is having improvements and repairs done at his home this week, with Carpenter W. W. Jacobs as chief workman.

M. S. Pate, formerly a teacher in the Athena school but now principal of the Milton schools, attended the athletic meet and oratorical contest Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. May were down from their Weston mountain home Monday, visiting Athena friends.

Uncle John Callender is confined to his room at the St. Nicholas with a bad case of inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Carrie Sharp came up from her school at Pendleton Friday evening, and spent the week end with her parents and sister in this city.

Mrs. B. D. Tharp, agent for the Spirella corset, has had her territory enlarged by the addition of the Weston agency. Mrs. Tharp will visit Weston next week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Richards and little daughter Helen, left Monday evening for Portland, Eugene, and other Willamette valley points on a visit to relatives.

S. F. Wilson was in town several days this week from Portland. "Just cleaning up some odds and ends," said Fred, in addition to spending a few days with his friends here.

Services at the Christian church May 4th: Bible school 10 a. m.; communion and address 11 a. m.; report of the East Oregon Sunday School convention. Evening service 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Swain and the local players who made a pronounced success of "Brown's in Town," at the opera Tuesday evening, will produce the play in nearby towns next week.

Reports from Walla Walla are very encouraging as to the condition of Wesley Zerbe, who was operated on for appendicitis last Saturday. Every indication points to the early recovery of the young man.

Mountain farmers, who have been unable to find a market for last season's potato crop, are feeding the tubers to hogs. Potatoes, cooked and mixed with grain is considered to be good fattening feed.

G. M. Morrison has purchased a 45 horse power gasoline engine, which he will install on his combined harvester. A number of other combine owners in this vicinity, will install engines on their machines.

Wednesday, Dr. L. Dell turned his three score years and ten stile. This venerable old gentleman celebrated the occasion by working all day. He is now hunting a foot race, and says he prefers running Jim Myrick.

The Weston base ball team will play the Pacific Power & Light company team of Walla Walla, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in Weston. Tomorrow evening a dance will be given for the benefit of the Weston team.

An evening of song and orchestra music in honor of the blind poet, Fanny J. Crosby, will be given at the Methodist Episcopal church. Hymns and songs written by Fanny J. Crosby will be one of the prominent features.

S. L. Spencer has developed considerable skill as a ratcatcher. With a string properly looped, he has caught ten rodents from one hole in the walk in front of his blacksmith shop and there are still more to fish for.

Sam Booher's road crew is working south of the city limits, on Third street extension. The second wooden bridge has been removed and the trench is being filled with dirt, taken from the hill opposite the Vio Harris place.

The May meeting of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions will to held next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Kiepe, near town.

Mrs. Jackson Nelson will assist the hostess, and the meeting will be held by Mrs. Geo. Gerking, with the topic: "Lessons from our Missionaries and Workers who have died in the service." This is also membership day for the society.

Jake Reno has constructed a tennis court at the City Park, this week. This is the third court established in Athena. One, a private court is at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Plamondon, and the other is at the school house grounds.

East Oregonian: Martha Rush today commenced suit against Charles Keen, to recover \$332.50 and interest since May 1, 1907, which she alleges to be due on a promissory note. She asks for \$55 attorney fees also. Homer L. Watts of Athena is her attorney.

B. N. Hawks has been doing considerable improvement work on the interior of his drug store. He has installed a large mirror in his soda and ice cream department and shelving has been placed in the rear of the store, to receive a large stock of paints and oils.

S. F. Wilson and his Portland real estate connections have recently purchased 12,000 acres of land in Central Oregon. The large tract is located in the vicinity of Reimond, 3500 acres being susceptible to irrigation, the remainder being dry farming and grazing land.

The Athena high school will be represented by four athletes at Pendleton tomorrow, when the Eastern Oregon track meet takes place there. Payas will run the mile race; Worthington and Ingham in the sprints and middle distances and Tompkins will compete in the weights.

Noticeable improvement has been made in the upper story of the Barrett building. A new landing has been placed in the stairway and alterations has taken place in the rooms above. Attorney Bishop has moved his office from the Post building to a front room in the Barrett building.

Dr. Plamondon, accompanied by Attorney Bishop, drove to the Geo. Cornoyer ranch on the Umatilla yesterday, and found Mr. Cornoyer in a very serious condition with valvular heart trouble. The river was unpleasantly high and they were forced to cross on horseback.

Two very pleasant sessions of the Sunshine club have recently been held, the first at the home of Mrs. Casper Woodward, and the last, yesterday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. George Woodward. A number of visitors attended each session, and refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Program at the Dreamland for Friday and Saturday evenings: 1.—"The Two Gun Sermon," Lucin. 2.—"Her Hour of Triumph," Lucin. 3.—"More Precious Than Gold," Lucin. For Sunday: 1.—"The Three Valleys," Selig. 2.—"The Deputy's Peril," Lucin. 3.—"The Bogus Napoleon," Vitagraph.

Oliver Dickenson this week sustained the loss of two valuable registered mares and two colts, from founder. Sacked wheat, stored in the Paget Sound warehouse at Wayland station, in some manner became spoiled and percolating through the cracks of the building, afforded a gorge for the horses which resulted in their death.

There will be a Christian Stewardship convention held at the Methodist Episcopal church beginning Monday evening, May 6th, with sessions also Tuesday morning and afternoon. Revs. J. S. Bell of Walla Walla and Nathan Evans of Pendleton, and speakers from Echo and Hermiston will make the addresses. Everybody invited.

From the "Up-to-the Times" magazine, published in Walla Walla, we clip the following item: Misses Pearl Pinkerton and Lorraine Gray gave a graduating recital in the Columbia Conservatory at Milton last Friday evening. Both were graduating in piano. They were assisted by a string quartette composed of Lawrence Pinkerton, Pearl Pinkerton, W. A. Bacon and Lorraine Gray.

Miss Lula Tharp left yesterday morning for Walla Walla, where she entered the Walla Walla hospital with the intention of studying for a trained nurse. Miss Tharp began her studies last fall in St. Vincent's hospital in Portland. She proposes to complete the course in Walla Walla, and follow the profession.

Sam Hutt this week placed an order for a \$2700 two-ton autotruck with the Avery Automobile company of Peoria, Ills. The truck has a motor developing 45 horse power, is strongly built and is considered by mechanical expert to be one of the best trucks on the market. Mr. Hutt has accepted the agency for the Avery trucks and automobiles. He expects to receive his new machine in about three weeks.

Mrs. W. E. Dobson received word Tuesday that her sister, Mrs. John Cornett, had died at her home in Portland, and left Tuesday evening to be present at the funeral, closing her school in La Mar district until next week. Mrs. Cornett has long been an invalid, and her death is not unexpected. It has only been a few months since Mrs. Dobson was called to Portland to attend the funeral of her father, Judge Downs, which occurred at his home in St. Johns.

A large congregation attended the services in honor of the 94th anniversary of Odd Fellowship, in the M. E. church Sunday evening. A splendid sermon, which left food for thought in the minds of the hearers, was delivered by the pastor, Rev. Helmick, and good music was furnished by Prof. Gordon's orchestra, also assisting the choir. No other services were held in the city, and the local lodges of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs attended en masse, clad in regalia.

For some weeks past there has been in preparation a splendid May Day program to be given May third, tomorrow, in the City Park. This is the annual picnic of the Christian Sunday school. A number of children have been carefully trained in the beautiful May Pole exercises, by Mrs. A. M. Meldrum and Miss Zelma DePant. The picnic will take the form of a basket dinner. Everybody is invited. Games will be provided for the children and young people.

Miss Zola Keen yesterday participated in a musical recital at Whitman Conservatory at Walla Walla and came out with third honors in a class of six contestants, all of whom were older than herself. Miss Engstrom of Spokane received first and Miss Netx of Hatton, Wash., second honors. Miss Zola was accompanied by her teacher in music, Mrs. J. D. Plamondon who was very much pleased with the performance of her pupil.

As a musical director, Joseph N. Scott has attained more than a local reputation. Mr. Scott has been secured to direct the production of the beautiful sacred cantata, "Shiloh," in Pendleton. The entertainment will take place on May 8th, in the Christian church in that city. Pendleton talent will be assisted by Miss Zelma DePant, soprano, Miss Merna DePant, contralto, and Miss Kittie Gholson as accompanist on the pianoforte. The three young ladies in company with Mr. Scott have been attending rehearsals in Pendleton for some time. The oratorio cantata was given with great success in this city during the Christmas holidays.

Notice.

Sealed bids for furnishing fifty (50) cords No. 1 4-ft. Fir Wood, to School District No. 29, will be received by the undersigned, at his office in Athena, Oregon, up to 2 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, May 26th, 1913. Said wood to be delivered on or before September 1st, 1913. Bids should state either "f. o. b. railroad depot Athena," or "delivered on school grounds." By order of the school board.

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The vote of the people is to be heard worked quotations from (1) Shakespeare, (2) Milton, (3) Dryden, (4) Pope, (5) Cowper, (6) Campbell, (7) Byron, (8) Shelley, (9) Wordsworth, (10) Tennyson, has resulted as follows:

(1) To be or not to be.
(2) They also serve who stand and wait.
(3) None but the brave deserves the fair.
(4) A little learning is a dangerous thing.
(5) The cusp that cures, but not inebriate.
(6) Distance lends enchantment to the view.
(7) Truth is always strange—stranger than fiction.
(8) Hail to thee, blithe spirit!
(9) We are seven.
(10) 'Tis better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all.

We think these hard worked quotations have a right to at least an eight hour day.—London Truth.

Papa's Ally.

"Papa says," announced the sweet young thing, "that when you come to call on me hereafter you must not come in a street car."
"Great guns! Must I walk?"
"No. You are to come in a taxicab and have it wait for you. Papa says that this will not only prove how much you love me, but save his staying up nights to make noises and wind the clock."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Medicine of the Soul.

Medicine and religion, which are too frequently regarded as mutually antagonistic, should be mutually complementary. There are many diseases in which the medicine of the soul is a powerful adjunct in the treatment of the body.—British Medical Journal.

Times Change.

Mrs. Benham—You used to say that you would give your life for me. Benham—That was when I was sick and expected to die anyway.

Details Wanted.

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He that plants thorns must never expect to gather roses.—Pilgray.

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