

Press Paragraphs

Frank Martin was in town from Adams, yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Wright is in the city, visiting relatives.

W. B. Shaffer was in the city Tuesday from Waiteburg.

M. L. Watts transacted business in Walla Walla yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Watts were Pendleton visitors Sunday.

Mrs. L. S. Vincent spent Sunday with her parents in Pendleton.

Mrs. Isham Davis of Walla Walla, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Jacob Booher has taken a temporary position at the Richards chop mill.

Mrs. E. M. Smith was in the city Wednesday from Weston, shopping.

Miss Marie Koepke of Helix, was a guest at the Johnson home this week.

Born, in Portland, to Mr. and Mrs. Rex Barnett, February 21, 1914, a son.

Mrs. Sarah Harden is reported ill this week, with a serious case of the grip.

J. D. Hargrett has sold his Weston mountain farm and will remain in Athens.

Thomas Llewellyn, the sage of Adams, transacted business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Effie Lloyd was over from Milton Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Mrs. Henry Wood has returned from an extended visit to her daughter in Pendleton.

Mrs. J. D. Plamondon returned yesterday from a visit with friends in Walla Walla.

Born, at their home in Weston, to Col. and Mrs. F. G. Lucas, February 23, 1914, twin girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pinkerton went over to Milton Monday, where they visited relatives.

For Sale.—White Leghorn and Banded Plymouth Rock roosters, at \$1.50 each. Phone, 3123.

N. A. Miller, the furniture man, is in Portland this week, where he is trying a large stock of goods.

A. L. Swaggart and family are expected to return Sunday from Portland where they spent the winter.

Miss Gladys Andre was a guest of Pendleton friends Saturday evening, attending a party in that city.

B. F. King, whose illness was reported in the Press last week, shows no material change in his condition.

Miss Louise Knight came up from Pendleton yesterday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Knight.

Mrs. Byron N. Hawks arrived home Tuesday evening, having spent several days in Moro, after her visit in Portland.

Mrs. Delbert Berger who was in the city visiting friends, returned Monday to her home in Walla Walla.

Mrs. Thomas Lawson, sister of Mrs. Gornall, came down from Spokane Monday in response to her sister's illness.

Mrs. Charles Metzgar of Seattle, and Mrs. Jack Bryant of Walla Walla, arrived in the city yesterday and are visiting relatives and friends.

John Stone and Clifford Stone have rented land at Midvale, Idaho, and yesterday shipped their stock and farming implements to that place.

Mrs. J. V. Mitchell is over from Union, where her husband is located as telegraph operator. She will move her household goods to that city.

A. Mackenzie Meldrum left for Kent, on Wednesday, where he will preach each evening this week. On Sunday Mr. Meldrum will preach at Wasco.

Miss Dora Myrick came up from Pendleton, where she has been employed for several years as saleslady, and spent Sunday with her parents in this city.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs enjoyed a social meeting, at the Lodge hall, Saturday evening. It was one of the most pleasant lodge gatherings of the season.

Gradually those who spent the winter months away from home are returning. Jos. N. Scott and family are expected to return home this week from California.

Garney Reynolds, a young man of Weston, plead guilty to a larceny charge in Judge Richards court, Saturday, and was fined \$25. He took a bottle of liquor from the saloon in Weston.

The Henry Schmitt sale was attended by a large crowd Wednesday, and the property offered for sale brought good prices. Auctioneer Rude kept things moving and the bidding was spirited.

Mrs. Winship and little daughters visited at the bedside of her invalid father in Walla Walla Sunday. The aged sufferer is slowly declining, and no hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of the M. E. ladies aid society, Mrs. Wm. Tompkins served a delightful lunch in honor of Mrs. Thomas Lawson of Spokane, who was a visitor.

Mrs. Newsom and little son, Maxwell, returned from Prineville yesterday. Dr. Newsom's father whose illness was reported in the Press last week, is better.

Up to Saturday night a total of 213 persons had registered at E. B. Richards office. There yet remains many voters to register and the opportunity to do so is now.

Mrs. G. W. Dickson of Prescott, Wash. and Mrs. J. D. Matheson of Portland, were guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Nelson, the first of the week.

A. J. Walker, an employe of the Preston-Shaffer Milling company is taking a vacation on account of failing health. Mr. Walker spent a portion of the week at Walla Walla.

Gustave Volmer has been down from Waiteburg this week. He called at the Press office and left a little note to be applied on his subscription to the best paper published in Athens.

Orville, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Adams, died at the family home in Adams, Tuesday of spinal meningitis. The funeral was held yesterday, interment being made in Athens cemetery.

Services at the Christian church next Sunday: Bible school at 10; sermon and Communion at 11; Gospel service at 7:30 p. m. P. Campbell Crockett, of Wasco, will preach both morning and evening.

Miss Zelma DePant came over from Walla Walla Sunday morning and remained until Monday morning. Sunday evening at the Christian church, Miss DePant favored the congregation with a vocal solo.

The ladies of the Baptist church desire to express through the Press their grateful thanks to all who assisted in the success of the party sale last Saturday afternoon. A tidy little sum was realized from the sale.

The season for hen fruit statistics has arrived. Recently an egg was brought to this office by David Taylor, which measured eight by six and a half inches. The egg contained two huge yolks, and was produced by a black Micorna hen.

Athena's city election will be held next Tuesday March 3. A mayor, three councilmen, city recorder and city treasurer are to be elected. It is expected a large number of women will exercise their privilege and vote at the polls this year.

Mrs. Downs, who has spent the past winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Dotson, will leave Monday for her home in Portland. A number of friends are this afternoon gathered at Mrs. Dotson's home on Hunt Avenue, on a farewell visit with her mother.

Dr. Sharp was called to dress a knife wound in the neck of Henry Picard, who resides on the reservation, one day this week. It is said the wound was inflicted on young Picard during a fight in which Charles Morrisette and Julius Lacourse were also participants.

John Bell has purchased the Jerry St. Denis place southeast of town. The deal was transacted through the Indian agency. The land had been under appraised valuation and offered for sale, with no bidders. Mr. Bell has lived on the place for some time, having it under lease.

A number of Athena people went down to Pendleton Tuesday on the different trains, and attended the Bulgarian meeting in the evening, returning home on the special which arrived here at midnight. A large number were on the excursion train, 850 having come from Walla Walla.

John Pierce and his big hounds have captured 25 coyotes this winter. He says there is one coyote in his neighborhood which is too much for the dogs. They have started it several times, but the fleetfooted varmint simply keeps ahead of them with an ever increasing stretch of daylight dividing them.

Mrs. Gornall, wife of the Methodist Episcopal minister, suffered a serious relapse the fore part of the week, and for a time was critically ill. Fortunately the lady took a turn for the better after it had been decided to take her to a hospital. She is now rapidly improving, and her permanent recovery is assured.

Waite Preston, nephew of W. G. Preston, of Waiteburg, and one of the stockholders in the Preston-Shaffer Milling company, died at his home in Los Angeles, California of consumption. He was a son of Platt Preston and formerly lived at Waiteburg. The mill closed yesterday when the news of the death was received.

Eight ambitious pedestrians accomplished the walk to Milton Sunday morning, making the distance in three hours. Taking the interurban from that city into Walla Walla, a hearty lunch was fully appreciated there, from whence they made the return trip by train, arriving home on the 4:05. And now they are looking for new territory to explore.

Miss Helen Moun and Edward Owen Williams were married Tuesday morning, February 24, in St. Mary's Catholic church, Pendleton. The bride has many friends in this city, and is a sister of Mrs. T. D. Taylor. The groom is connected with Clarke's Hardware store, and the young couple will make their home in Pendleton.

Saturday being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. D. A. Pinkerton, about twenty-five friends assembled at the Pinkerton home west of town, now occupied by her son Lawrence and wife, where she was a guest, and celebrated the occasion. Refreshments were served, and music—for which this family is specially noted—made the time pass most pleasantly.

Dr. E. B. Osborn, a veterinarian surgeon has come to Athens to reside and will have offices in the Commercial Livery stable and at Hawks' drug store. Since coming to Oregon a year ago Dr. Osborn has been at Pendleton where he was employed by the state in the stock inspection department. He is a graduate of McKillip Veterinary College of Chicago and previous to his arrival in this state practiced his profession in Montana.

Representatives of contracting firms have been in the city this week, investigating the number of feet of concrete sidewalks to be constructed on Main street, between Third and Fourth streets, as provided for in the new ordinance. Bids will be opened soon and considered by the council, and the work of putting down the walks is expected to begin when the weather conditions are favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Koutz are mourning the loss of a tabby cat, which for nine years had made its home on their heartbroken rug, so to speak. When but a little kit, Mr. Koutz received Thomas through the delivery window at the postoffice, the postmaster, L. A. Gibbons, now deceased, having in his waste basket a little family of brothers and sisters, which the feline stork had deposited there a few days previous.

One of the hardest rain storms of the season occurred Tuesday night. The rain fell in torrents, flooding the intake of the city water system to the extent that the water in the mains had the appearance of having come from a mud puddle. It has gradually cleared up and yesterday Marshal Gholson had the hydrants open down town, which helped the condition materially. The rain also put a check to plowing, which was well under way.

The dates for holding the annual Galedonian Picnic have been changed to one week earlier than originally announced. The reason given by the Society is that the dates announced, May 29 and 30, would conflict with Decoration Day. The dates on which the big picnic will be held and which have been definitely selected for the event are May 22 and 23. The finance committee will solicit funds to assist in defraying expense of holding the picnic, and the different committees appointed at a recent meeting have the work assigned them well in hand.

Athena people were inexpressibly shocked last Saturday by a telegram which was received by James Potts, telling of the tragic death of Miss Eva Preston, a young sister of Mrs. Joseph N. Scott. The accident occurred during the recent severe storms in California, when the young lady, blinded by a sudden tempest which struck while she was crossing the street, was run down by an electric car and instantly killed. Mr. and Mrs. Scott were on the point of leaving for home, but were detained by the sad event. Mrs. Scott has the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in this county, and when it is recalled that on her last visit to her parents at Huntington Beach, the death of another loved sister occurred in a foreign missionary field, her trouble seems doubly hard to bear. The family are well known in Weston, where they formerly made their home.

School Notes.

Hear ye! Hear ye! Hear ye! The High school debating team will hold its first debate of the season and the only one held in Athens, on Friday, March 6th, at the Methodist church at 8 p. m. A small admission of ten cents will be charged to defray expenses. Everybody should attend. The subject: "Resolved: That life imprisonment with restricted power of pardon is a desirable substitute for capital punishment in Oregon." is one of much interest to the present voters of Oregon.

A large locust tree was cut down this morning near the east side of the school house. It shaded the building considerably. Six others should be cut from the south side.

There seemed to be some excitement about the possibility of a small pox scare, but no doubt it will soon pass over.

The baseball boys are sorry to lose Claude King, who has moved into the country.

Montet's Burning Mountain. The "burning mountain" of Montet, in Aveyron, France, is often mistaken for an active volcano because a pillar of cloud rises from it by day and a pillar of fire by night, but it is in reality a coal mine, which has been burning for several years.—London Opinion.

In a Bad Way. "Here is a doctor who says you mustn't eat when you're worried." "But suppose you're always worried for fear you ain't got to get anything to eat?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Sweeping. "That is a sweeping argument," remarked a husband whose wife used a broom to convince him that he ought to have been home several hours previously.

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