

**Press Paragraphs**

Jim King was down from his mountain ranch yesterday.

A dollar for that Tag. See Watts and Rogers' big Ad.

Mrs. S. S. Pinesal visited friends in Weston Wednesday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mansfield visited in Pendleton Tuesday.

The coolest place in town to trade, is at Fix & Radtke's.—Adv.

Miss Dora Bennett is up from Portland on a visit to relatives.

For Sale—A good milk cow, soon to be fresh. Henry Koepke.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bishop of Freewater, were in the city yesterday.

Lost—A raincoat. Finder will please leave at the Press office.—Adv.

M. A. Baker, formerly postmaster at Weston, was in the city Wednesday.

If you want to buy city property or farm lands enquire of Henry Keefe.—Adv.

People wanting harvest horses can find same at Kirk's Implement Store.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester O'Hara were in the city from Weston, Wednesday evening.

Miss Ethel Johnson visited her sister, Mrs. Hamp Booher, at Weston this week.

Mrs. Samuel Hawthorth visited her mother in Walla Walla the first of the week.

Mrs. S. A. Barnes and Mrs. W. A. Graham, of Weston, visited in Athena Saturday.

Grain sacks at one cent below the market. See Lig Ad. or ask Watts and Rogers.

Ten gasoline engines have recently been purchased at the Kirk Implement House.—Adv.

Mrs. Carrol of Dayton, Wash., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Walter.

Era Lundell came over from Weston this week and visited her friend, Savannah Smith.

Misses Laura Melnyre and Maud Mansfield are spending the week at Bingham Springs.

Harry McBride was in from the ranch yesterday, delivering yellow transparent apples.

J. H. Harmon, pastor of the Christian church, had business in Pendleton the first of the week.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. James H. E. Scott, July 18, 1915, at their home in Milton.

Bob Lane, old-time landscape painter, is again in the city, having located a studio on Main street.

Attorney T. E. Flynn of White Salmon, Wash., was in the city during the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burden are down from North Powder, and will remain until after harvest.

Mrs. Henry Wood, who has been ill, was able to drive to town yesterday from her home in the country.

Mrs. Isabella Taylor is down from her home near Pullman, Wash., looking after her farm in this vicinity.

Mrs. Roy Burke and baby are in the city from Walla Walla, visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mischenor.

Mrs. Archie Shick will arrive from Newport today, and will join her husband here, where they will make their home.

Wm. Winship, Wm. Koonsek, York Dell and "Jawa D." spent Sunday evening in the bathing pool at Thorn Hollow.

Sam Holt drove his auto truck to Milton Monday evening and brought over for the Bryan & Myer cold storage plant.

E. A. Bennett and H. O. Worthington are out at Helix this week, where they are painting a large barn for William Shannon.

Mrs. Winship and daughters spent several days with relatives at Walla Walla. Mrs. Winship's mother is in poor health again.

Misses Zelma and Roby Inglesman, who have been visiting relatives here for several weeks, left Monday for their home at Lone.

Mrs. John Beckman came over from Freewater Sunday, being called by the fatal illness of her little granddaughter, Florence Clemens.

Jerry Stone has been confined to his home near Adams for the past two weeks with illness. He is reported some better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hanister and daughter Helen and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McArthur are reported among the sojourners at Seaside.

Misses Estelle Smith and Pearl Coomans are spending the week in Walla Walla as guests of Miss Zola Keen, who is studying music there.

Physicians are encountering considerable illness among children, in the nature of summer complaint. However, few serious cases have developed.

Miss Jackson, of Dayton, Wash., has been a guest the past week of Mrs. Austin A. Fos. Miss Jackson formerly lived with her mother in Athens, where she conducted a millinery store.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bergevin recently made a visit to their daughter, Miss Rena who has been in training

the past year in a Seattle hospital. They found the young lady progressing and happy in her chosen vocation. Mr. and Mrs. Bergevin also visited the Seattle Post-Int.

Wells on ranches south of town and in the foot hills are running low, and in some places are reported to be almost dry. The absence of winter moisture is being felt in all parts of the county.

Wm. Peebler, a prominent Pendleton citizen and father of John Peebler formerly of this city, died at Pendleton Monday and his funeral was held at the Presbyterian church in that city Wednesday.

Mrs. George Bear and children, who have been visiting relatives at Rock Island, Illinois, returned home Tuesday. Mrs. Bear was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Francis Febr of Rock Island.

Mrs. C. A. Barrett, who has been ill since her visit to Starbuck, is reported improving the past few days. Her mother, Mrs. Mays, is also recovering from illness caused by the shock of the death of her son.

C. Mordock of Wallawa county was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Mordock is a stockman, owning a large range north of Enterprise. A few times he was engaged in the newspaper business at Clarkston, Wash.

Mrs. J. L. Hunt, of Bellingham, Wash., who with her children has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stone, was a guest this week at the home of her cousin, Dr. A. B. Stowe, and family.

Will M. Peterson and family write that they are enjoying the cool showers at Seaside, in company with twenty-one other Umatilla county families. Mr. Peterson will be back at his home in Pendleton by August 5th.

Frank Sanders and Aes Wagner received their new Brown-Lewis combine from Walla Walla this week and started the season's harvesting. The machine is 20-foot cut with a Brown-Lewis engine installation.

The union services for next Sunday evening will be held at the Methodist church, when Rev. A. M. Lambert will preach to the congregation. The week-day union choir practice will be held this evening at the M. E. church.

L. S. Vincent will move his jewelry stock to the Welch building, occupying the west half. An attractive front is being put in by S. Scott Fisher. Mrs. Miller will occupy the east half of the building with her millinery store.

Mrs. Otis Whitehead, who with two of her little sons has been visiting at the Richards home, left Sunday morning for the farm near La Crosse, Wash. The baby, Jack, was ill, and Mrs. Whitehead decided it was best to take him home.

The management of the Athena opera house will give a dance tomorrow evening. The dance last Saturday evening was well attended and an especially good time is anticipated by the young people for tomorrow evening.—Adv.

Mrs. Koonsek of Pendleton, visited her son, W. E. Koonsek, local agent for the N. P. railroad in this city Wednesday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Susan Gorking, and the two ladies were entertained at dinner at the David Taylor home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Deeper will leave shortly for Vancouver, Wash., near which place they have purchased a tract of 15 acres. Novis Deeper and wife will have the management of the place, which is set to fruit and in a high state of cultivation.

Emil Mullenbeck, the painter, who left Athena several weeks ago for Alaska, writes E. A. Bennett that he is at Juneau, and has good prospects of securing a lucrative position there. He says Juneau is a modern little city of about 7,000 inhabitants.

Stanfield Standard: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koepke of Athens, with their two sons, Arnold and Henry and small daughter Dorothy, were the guests of Miss Jessie M. Briley at the home of her parents Sunday. They motored across country from their home.

Dreamland program for Friday and Saturday evenings: 1 and 2.—"When a Woman's Forty." Drama Selig. 3.—"Slippery Slim and the Claim Agent." Essay. Sunday: 1.—"The Reveler." Selig. 2.—"Two Men Who Wanted." Essay. 3.—"The Decision of Jim O'Farrell." Selig.

Seth Hawthorth, while working in harvest for Luke Read, came in contact with the business end of a mule Monday, with the result that he later walked into Dr. Shary's office with a broken rib on the right side of his anatomy. Seth is now swathed in a bandage and does not have to labor in the harvest field.

Beginning Wednesday, August 4, the Dreamland theatre will issue coupon tickets for each show until August 18 in a prize contest. There will be two lucky numbers and the persons drawing them will be given a set of silver teaspoons as the first prize and a sugar shell will be given for the second prize.—Adv.

A hard rain fell over this section of the county for several hours Wednesday night. As a result harvest operations were tied up yesterday and this forenoon. Many machines started up again this afternoon. The rain was welcomed by mountain ranch owners. Up there, barley is just beginning to head and potato fields were much in need of moisture.

Agents Wanted, to sell Goodwin's Powdered Egg. This is the only preparation on the market whereby tinware, graniteware and all articles coated with porcelain, may readily be repaired; also ebbed spots on bath tubs, toilets etc. No heat or tools required. It is a ready seller. Sample and terms 15c. W. M. Goodwin, 5274Q, 45th Ave., S. W., Seattle, Wash.—Adv.

East Oregonian: Charged with the larceny of a horse, Bill "Slim" Ridings, prominent Roundup cowboy and model for A. Phinister Proctor's "Buckaroo," is in the county jail, having been brought back from Boise by Deputy Sheriff J. H. Estes. Jas. Roach, well known stockman, is the complaining witness. He alleges that

Ridings sold him a horse that proved to be stolen property and which belonged to Louis Bergevin of Athena. Ridings claims he sold it for another person and the officers have to investigate further to learn just where the responsibility for the crime rests.

Two were freed in the Recorder's court this morning on charges of disorderly conduct. George Myrick was fined \$10 and "John Doe" \$7.50. The arrests were made last evening by Marshal Boynton. "John Doe" got tired of confinement during the night in the old city jail and knocked a hole in the south wall, gaining his liberty. He was confined in the new jail for a short time this morning, before appearing in court.

At the recent annual meeting of the stockholders of the Preston-Shaffer Milling company, W. B. Shaffer was elected president, M. L. Watts, vice-president; W. O. Tucker, secretary-treasurer. In appreciation of the services of head miller Littlejohn, warehouse foreman Miller, and bookkeepers Ernest Zerba and Miss Laura Smith the company presented each with a check of generous proportions.

The school board met Tuesday evening and contracted with the Cascade Gas & Electric Fixture Co., of Seattle for the electric fixtures and light furnishings for the new school building. At a cost of \$295, the board secured an exceptionally fine equipment. The fixtures will be modern in every respect and will be in keeping with the general high standard which the board has maintained throughout during the construction of the building.

The Press is in receipt of a synopsis of the fish and game laws, accompanied by a circular letter from the state game warden, in which he requests publicity of the fact that the deer hunting season this year does not open until August 15, which is 15 days later than has been customary for several years. The season for hunting deer will open August 15 and will close on October 31, during which open season three deer with horns is the limit allowed each hunter.

Mrs. L. W. Smith arrived in the city Monday, and is visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie DePeatt. Her visit was a complete and happy surprise to her mother and friends. Last week was spent in visiting her sister, Mrs. Ortil D. Harris, in Spokane. Mrs. Smith states that she has been agreeably surprised by the lack of extreme hot weather in Iowa this summer. Mr. Smith, who accompanied her as far as Butte, Montana, on business, returned to Iowa from there.

Friday afternoon, James Anderson of the Willamette valley closed up a deal with Z. F. Lockwood for six lots south of the City Hall. Three of the lots face on Third street and three on Fourth street. Zeph Brothers have the contract to build a tungalow for Mr. Anderson's occupancy by October 1. It is understood that Mr. Anderson contemplates building several bungalows in Athena for rent. He was accompanied by Charles Thompson of Letasun, who also intends moving to Athena. Mr. Thompson is a retired farmer.



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**IN NEARBY HARVEST FIELDS**

Barley Not Cut down by Hot Winds as in Cases of Wheat Yield.

The season's harvest operations were getting well underway when interrupted by Wednesday night's rain. Sufficient acreage had been cut to demonstrate that the yield will fall below estimates made earlier in the season when prospects indicated a bumper production of wheat throughout this section.

Barley appears to have withstood the hot weather with little or no damage resulting. Yields as high as 80 bushels are reported.

Reports coming to the Press office this week about that around 80 to 35 bushels of wheat per acre is the general average. A few fields are given in as yielding around 40 bushels.

German Red, a new variety of wheat for this vicinity proved to have withstood the hot weather better than any other varieties. On the Marion Jack ranch, south of Havasu, a yield of 70 bushels per acre is claimed, and the finest samples brought to Athena this year was from the crop of this new wheat, raised by E. A. Dudley south of Athena.

**Harvest Notes.**

Lawrence Lienallen has started his combine on a thousand-acre crop. So far the indications are that the yield will be about 35 bushel per acre.

Marion Hassell's crop northeast of town is averaging a little over 35 bushels per acre.

Charles Walter, combine expert, is operating the Gorking machine this year.

Roy Cannon is getting nearly 40 bushels per acre from his 195 acre field, northwest of town.

The Hugh Melnyre place southwest of town, farmed by F. W. Long, averaged about 37 bushels per acre.

Henry Wood received 1500 sacks of wheat from a field of 74 acres.

John Martin expected a yield of 40 bushels per acre and received 20. The hot weather out the yield in half.

W. S. Ferguson threshed barley that yielded 80 bushels per acre.

**THE PONY CONTEST.**

Instead of giving away the beautiful little Shetland pony to the winner in the Mosgrove Mercantile Company contest August 9, the time will be extended until September 1, as they have been unable to procure the saddle to go with the pony as yet, and one is being specially made in the east. The standing of the contestants up to July 22nd follows:

Eugene Ostorn, 2323.  
Richard Cartano, 1504.  
Audra Winslip, 1196.  
Velma McAlexander, 237  
Willard Parker, 141.  
Elizabeth Mathers, 119.  
Conrad Miller, 109.  
Velma Schubert, 76.  
Tom Kirk, 65.  
Margaret LaCourse, 11.  
Savannah Smith, 1.  
Ray Dudley, 1.

—Adv.

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