

Press Paragraphs

Col. F. G. Lucas was over from Weston Wednesday.

Wm. Graham was over from Weston Saturday evening.

Some difference in fences. See Watts and Rogers' big ad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDaniel of Weston, were in the city Tuesday.

Hats at Mrs. Miller's store will be sold at cost price until Jan. 1.—Adv.

Watts and Rogers continue "saintly" looking for another week. See big ad.

Carl Christian who is conducting a winter shop at Adams, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. S. Harris, of Weston, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Mansfield Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Graham, of Weston, visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Boyd in Athens.

Wanted—A second hand survey; must be in good condition. Enquire at this office.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smalley of Walla Walla, are visiting relatives in Athens this week.

John P. McManus, owner and editor of the Pendleton Tribune, was an Athens visitor Tuesday.

For Sale—A six-room, two story house; good location; very low price. Terms. B. B. Hill, Athens.—Adv.

Sam Hutt of the Athens Truck company, is driving a newly painted wagon behind his fishy mule team.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dudley were over from the farm near Weston Saturday, and spent the day in Athens.

Duroe Jersey Hogs—Spring hogs and girls for sale at reasonable prices. J. B. Woodward, Adams, Ore.—Adv.

Miss Reta Rothrock went to Pendleton Sunday, to visit her mother, who is taking medical treatment in that city.

Mrs. Will M. Peterson and children were up from their home in Pendleton and spent the week end at the Dudley home.

Mrs. Tillman D. Taylor spent the week end in this city with relatives, while the sheriff was in California on official business.

Ad and Billy Pinkerton are over from their homes in Milton this week, assisting in the pork butchery on their farms near town.

Athens store windows are beautifully decorated this week with Christmas offerings, and are attracting a great deal of attention.

George Ferguson, the Weston Mountain potato king, was in the city Tuesday, taking orders for early delivery of spuds.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oliver of Walla Walla, spent Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Steele in this city.

Mr. Harold Hopkins and Miss Marguerite Hopkins of Dayton, Wash., have been guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Weir.

Mrs. Henry Keen is able to be about

the house, after a serious attack of the grip, following her recent injury in an automobile accident.

Miss Lola Tharp returned Tuesday from Latah, where she has been engaged as professional nurse for Dr. Newsum, formerly of this city.

Casey & Sons' Loose Dops. Enough for 100 hens at your druggist's, 50 cents. Guaranteed to keep them free from lice for 6 months.—Adv.

Mr. Elam, salesman in the grocery department at the Fix & Radtke store, expects the arrival of his wife and two children from Kansas City, Sunday.

In a new showman, Foss-Winslip Hardware company is displaying a nobby line of casseroles and carving sets, suitable for nice Christmas presents.

I. W. Ware returned from Hot Lake Monday evening, after spending several days at that resort, and left Wednesday morning for Portland, accompanied by his wife.

For Sale.—Fifteen head of good young Jersey cows, fresh and coming fresh. Also 16 head of full blood Jersey heifers, due to freshen in the early spring. R. B. McEwen.

I will call at the residence of any one interested in Chiropractic, and give examination and explanation free. Dr. George J. King, licensed Chiropractor, phone Main 12.—Adv.

Steelhead trout are being caught in the lower Umatilla river. Three of the big fellows have been on display at the Laddow sporting goods house, in Pendleton, this week. Who wants to go get 'em?

Condon Globe: J. A. Knight is putting on a Hudson truck between Condon and Lons Rock, his stage business having grown so that he is unable to handle it with his Ford. His new machine is a 40 horse-power, one ton truck.

The ladies of the Catholic church will give a party tomorrow, Saturday afternoon, in the front part of Steele's Harness shop. The patronage of the public is solicited. Come and procure a nice cake or pie for your Sunday dinner.

Dr. Will R. Scott and Charles Gerking went by automobile Tuesday to the Farnish dam in the West part of the county on a duck shooting expedition. The weather conditions were not favorable, so the hunters returned with only one duck each.

Douglas Flynn, accompanied by his daughter Nellie, came up from John Day, and visited friends in Athens this week. They made the trip on horseback. Miss Nellie was royally entertained while in the city, and enjoyed her visit very much.

Mrs. Sibbie Norton, widow of Brigadier-General Norton who died in Washington D. C. a year ago, and eldest daughter of the late T. P. Page, has been in the city the past week from her home in Seattle, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. LeGrow.

The following officers were elected Tuesday evening at their regular meeting, by Athens Circle No. 10: G. M., Lillie Miller; Advisor, Sarah Harden; Magdalen, Rhoda McEwen; Clerk, Lola Payne; Banker, Mary Worthington.

ton: Attendant, Stella Keen; Captain of Guard, Erma Bohrer; Inner Sentinel, Minnie DePeatt; Outer Sentry, Rebekah Keiser; Masloian, Rose Mansfield; Manager, Mary Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Worthington and son Emory spent Saturday in Walla Walla at the Harvey McDonald home. Mr. McDonald has had a relapse, after a change for the better in his condition, and his friends are still very anxious about the result of his illness.

Dreamland program for Friday and Saturday evenings: 1 and 2.—"Her Wedding Brother," Lubin. 3.—"Between Matinee and Night," Selig. Sunday: 1.—Augusta Anderson and Charles H. Mallet in "The Udding Fire," Biograph. 2.—"Who Wants to Be a Hero," Selig. 3.—"Wanted, a Nurse," featuring Jane Motrow and Courtlandt Van Deusen.

At the Methodist Episcopal church next Sabbath morning, the District Superintendent, Andrew Warner, will occupy the pulpit. On the preceding evening at 7:30 he will hold the first quarterly conference for this year. Sunday evening the pastor's subject will be: "Christ's Message of Comfort to His Church." Sabbath school at 10 a. m. All are invited.

The ladies of the Christian church realized the net sum of \$112.25 clear of all expenses, at their sale and dinner last Saturday in the church basement. Dinner was served both at noon and in the evening, and both meals brought in the sum of \$67.75. Many articles were sold at the booth, and only a few were left at the end of the sale.

A very pleasant meeting of the Sunshine Club was held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Claud Reeder, with 20 present. A number of the members were reported ill and unable to attend. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Next Thursday the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Casper Woodward, when the Club husbands will be entertained.

One of George Gerking's fine horses was made a target for a 22 bullet last Saturday. The bullet penetrated the fleshy part of the horse's hip to a depth of seven inches. Whether the horse was shot through carelessness or maliciously, Mr. Gerking is not prepared to say. There is a pond in the pasture where the horse, with others was feeding, and the animal was probably hit accidentally, while some one was taking a shot at ducks.

A warm time is reported to have taken place at the Pendleton city election, Monday. Dr. Best defeated John Montgomery by a majority of 287 votes. A near riot occurred during the night, following the closing of the polls. Dudley Evans, an ex-prize fighter incurred the displeasure of many people by the manner in which he challenged voters at one of the polling booths, and as a result of the fracas, E. J. Somersville and E. S. McCosmas were taken to the police station by an officer.

balls Ducoan, Virgil King, George Lemaire, Elizabeth Mathers, Thelma McEwen, Frank Miller, Eugene Osborn, Edna Pinkerton, Willis Russell, Bathena Reed, Edna Caruso, Arta Littlejohn, Velva Mansfield, Hazel McFarland, Belle Pambrin, Helen Russell, Velma Sobush, Vernita Watts, Martha Hutt, Glens McAlexander, Ellis Hopper, Ralph Richmond.

Miss Leota Wagner's room.—Dorwan Phillips, Lloyd Mathers, Gail Stone, John Stone, Helen Downing, Willard Parker, Dollie Banister, Gasman Saunders, Jeannette Miller, Lela Schubert, Mildred Stanton, Edna Caruso, Eva Carstee, Ruth Jackson, Sadie Pambrun, Lee Banister, John Pinkerton, Conrad Miller, Kenneth Stone, Wayne Jones, Velma McAlexander, Eitel Woodruff, Leslie Marvin.

Miss Porsifull's room.—Gail Piersol, Rolsed Stone, Dorothy Willaby, Ruth Hutt, Wilbur Harden, Harold McLenahan, Arthur Holt, Leonard Willaby, Marcel McAlexander, Stenly Bush, Frank Carstee, Dorothy Koopke, Wendell LaBrosse, Vernon Miller, Alton Llanallan, Richard Carstee, Loris Shick, Myrtle Matthews, Elia Ringel, Mildred Dowling, Beulah Banister, Regina Jones.

Miss Armstrong's room.—Marjorie Bohrer, Melvina Coppock, Lois Johnson, Ronald Llanallan, Merle Johnson, Freddie Radtke, Athens Russell, Lucille Smith, Clifford Woods, Eva Willaby, Kendall LaBrosse, Opal Starr, Robert Carstee, Helen Coppock, Merle Dickenson, Ellen Henry, Alice Huffman Ray Huffman, Vera Miller, Juanita Woodruff, Lois McIntyre.

Celebrate Silver Anniversary.

The silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor was celebrated in fitting style by thirty-four of their friends last Friday evening, with a grand "shiverer." It was a complete surprise, but the visitors were made welcome and a most pleasant evening was passed with various stunts for entertainment, among them a mock wedding, with the twenty-five years bride and groom as principals. David Taylor, father of the groom, assisted the minister with his "old political law" ceremony, after which the couple were solemnly sentenced to conjugal bondage until their Diamond anniversary.

A handsome silver baking dish was presented the bride, also a set of fruit knives was tendered by Mrs. Tillman D. Taylor of Pendleton. Refreshments were served. Misses Maude Mansfield and Lillian Gerking passing the plates. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gerking, Mr. and Mrs. Cass Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. George Gerking, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. Will R. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. Deas Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gaton and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. (Jinks) Taylor; Mesdames Minnie DePeatt, L. Sherman, W. K. Wall, Jackson Nelson, Minnie Willaby, Elizabeth Mansfield, Fred Boyd, T. D. Taylor of Pendleton; Misses Maude and Velva Mansfield, Lillian and Blanche Gerking, Lucille Taylor, Annie Barnes of Weston, and Mr. Hiram Harmon.

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"SEE JOHNSON ABOUT IT."

AT

THE HOME OF "TUM-A-LUM"

School Notes.

At assembly Tuesday afternoon in Miss Brierley's room, it was decided that the Athens school will enter the contest of the Walla Walla Evening Bulletin and endeavor to win the Pa thescope given by that paper to the school securing the largest number of subscriptions. Mr. Reed, who was representing the Bulletin, gave an interesting talk in which he unfolded the plan of the contest to the students and encouraged them in their undertaking. He also explained the educational value of the Pa thescope in school work and offered an individual prize of one dollar to the pupil and also to the room bringing in the greatest number each day. The editor of the paper, Mr. Kelly, guaranteed the school a Pa thescope if they get 100 subscriptions, regardless of the contest.

The second double header basket ball game played between Weston and Athens, last Friday night in Weston resulted in a defeat for both the Athens teams. The boys lost with a score of 35 to 30. In the last half of the game the Athens boys put up a splendid fight and held the score down to 12 points. The girls were defeated with a score of 19 to 6.

A double header basket ball game has been proposed by some ex-college basket ball stars, to play both Weston and Athens High school teams, in the Athens gymnasium some time next week, if arrangements can be made satisfactorily to both teams. The college stars who propose to play are: Don Kice, Tom Boylen, Harold Cochran, Bill Livingston and Irving Brooks.

A Christmas program will be given by the pupils of Miss Armstrong's room on Friday afternoon, December 24 in the auditorium. The children are now rehearsing and will be in readiness to present a most interesting program, consisting of a play, recitations, songs and solos. The public is invited to attend.

The following is a complete report of the Athens school for the month ending Dec. 3, 1916:

No. of days taught, 15.
Whole No. days attendance, 2446 1/2.
Whole No. day's absence, 127.
Whole No. times late, 6.
Number of pupils on roll of honor, 113.
Average No. pupils belonging, 121.5.
Average daily attendance, 163.1.
Per cent of attendance, 94.5.
Number visits by parents, 2.
No. pupils remaining at date, 174.
Total number on register, 190.
The room having the best attendance was that of Miss Brierley, with a per cent of 95.73. The one second best in attendance, was Miss Inez Wagner's, with a per cent of 95.51.

Hall of Honor.

High School.—Henry Koopke, Lawrence Tharp, Verne Dudley, Lloyd McPheerlin, Ernest Duncos, James Martin, Orrille Burnsban, Hiram Harmon, Elmer Martin, Ruby Banister, Greta Melnyre, Gladys McLeod, Lillian Tompkins, Francis Fehr, Edna McAlexander, Marguerite McLenahan, Zola Keen, Kathryn Froome, Anabel McLeod, Angie Pambrun, Ellen Pambrun, Hazel Sanders, Lu Jille Taylor, Francis Williams.

Miss Inez Wagner's room.—Mae-