

Press Paragraphs

Harness and Collars galore.—Watts & Rogers.
D. H. Mansfield will ship a carload of horses and mules to Caldwell, Idaho today.
Two spool Sewing Machine. The smoothest motor washer.—Watts & Rogers.
One more Mogul tractor arrived. Our bargain counter saves many gasoline bills. Watts & Rogers.
Mrs. Henry Wood was brought home from the Pendleton hospital Wednesday, very much improved in health.
Lost.—A purse containing small sum of money and two keys. Finder please return keys to Lucille Taylor.
For Sale.—Battered Plymouth Rock cockrel at \$1.50 each. Also Bronze turkeys, thoroughbred. Phone 81-F5
S. S. Parris has purchased of the Raymond estate, a half section of land for a consideration of \$35,000, cash.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith motored to Pendleton Tuesday, where they spent the day.
Patronize home talent and give yourself a treat by meeting "Miss Molly" at the school auditorium tomorrow night.
Hank Caplinger is in possession of two watches that owners may secure by proving property and paying for this notice.
Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Whiteman of La Cross, Wash., were week end guests at the H. H. Hill and B. B. Richards homes.
In a fast game of basket ball at Weston Saturday night, Athena high school beat both the boys' and girls' teams of that city.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zerbe had as guests at their farm home over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Flock, of Helix, parents of Mrs. Zerbe.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hurd and daughter and Miss Flora McDonald, of Pilot Rock, were guests at the McLeod home in this city, this week.
A Mackenzie Meldrum has spent the past week in Athena and vicinity, being here in the interests of the Spokane Christian University.
Wenaha Encampment of Weston, has extended an invitation to Lilley Encampment of Athena to attend a banquet on the evening of March 6th.
W. C. Emmel had as his guest last week, his cousin, Rev. H. B. Emmel of Kendrick, Idaho. Rev. Emmel was on his way to Portland for a visit with relatives.
The March meeting of the C. W. B. M. will be held next Wednesday afternoon at the Christian church, with Mrs. Henry Koepke's division furnishing the program.

Last week a party consisting of Wm. Pinkerton, Maurice Frazier and Floyd Pinkerton, made a trip to Genesee, Idaho, for the purpose of looking into a land proposition.

John King and family will leave at once for Fremont county, Idaho, where they will reside in future. Mr. King will start in farming 450 acres of land, which he leased last fall.

For sale or trade.—One black Percheron stallion, a bargain if taken at once; also one 4-year-old-cow, fresh, and calf; and 3 yearling heifers. Peter Weidert, Route 1, Athena, Oreg.

Mrs. J. W. Smith left Wednesday for a visit with friends at Corvallis, and other points in the Willamette valley. She will be a guest of the A. B. McEwens at their new country home on the Mackenzie.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mansfield is over from Weston, and will remain until she receives Mr. and Mrs. M. Melville Johns, who will arrive from California the second week in March, to occupy her cottage on Jefferson street.

Mrs. Sabina Morton went to Pendleton Wednesday afternoon, to complete the organization of the Red Cross chapter, which she has been negotiating in that city, having received her papers of authority from Washington.

The Pendleton high school girls' basket ball team went down to Eugene yesterday to play the Oakland team tonight, for the championship of the state. The game will be played on the men's gymnasium floor at the State University.

Winter weather, starting Monday morning with ten inches of snow, has been with us the past week. Wednesday night the mercury fell to nine degrees above zero. Moderation of temperature was in order yesterday with the result that the snow melted somewhat.

George Gross has returned from Portland, where he went for medical advice concerning a case of stomach trouble. Mr. Gross, who has been in miserable health for some time, was accompanied home by his son Fred, who went down to Portland for that purpose.

The body of Phillip Millen, the young man who was killed at Kamela by a passenger train several days ago, has been claimed by the mother, Mrs. C. Johnson, of Portland. The remains were identified beyond question and were taken from Pendleton to Portland, for interment.

At a meeting of the Sunshine Club held at the home of Mrs. George R. Gerking yesterday afternoon, a handsome chest of silver was presented to Mrs. John T. King, as a parting gift and a token of the esteem in which she is held by the club. Mrs. Davis Errett was a guest of the Club.

Burke & Son have received a carload of Ford cars for distribution among their patrons. The firm has leased the store room next door to the postoffice which will be used as a store display quarters for the Ford hereafter. The room will be cleaned up and an attractive auto display will be made.

Last Friday evening twelve members of the Men's Chorus of the Christian church went to Helix, at the invitation of the church at that place, to sing at the entertainment given by the ladies Aid society. The fact that the chorus was called back seven times, will attest to their popularity in the neighboring town.

George Bear, formerly salesman with the Mosgrove Mercantile Co., left Friday for Corvallis, where he will have a position in the Golden Rule store, of which F. E. Livengood is manager. Mrs. Bear will remain in Athena until the close of school, for the benefit of her sister, Miss Frances Fehr, who will graduate from the high school.

Out of a trainload of Holt Caterpillar tractors received recently by E. L. Smith & Co. for distribution in Umatilla and Walla Walla counties, two were for J. A. Lumsden and Hey Winn. Wm. Crump and Arnold Wood will run the Lumsden machine on a continuous day and night run. Bob Beckham will run the Winn machine.

At the Christian church Sunday, Bible school at 9:50 a. m.; Communion and preaching 11 a. m.; subject: "Taste for Better Things," second sermon in the series; special music. In the evening the Christian church will unite with the Methodist church in a union meeting. The male chorus, led by Dr. W. R. Scott will sing. D. Errett, Pastor.

Umatilla county will enjoy one of the best irrigation seasons in recent years, according to Water Master L. A. Reineman. Butter Creek has been flowing for the past three weeks and the farmers at the lower end have been irrigating.

Albert Baker, forest ranger at the Bingham Springs station, brought down word of an attack of a bald eagle upon a band of seven deer several days ago near his station. The eagle would swoop down on the deer and strike one of the animals with such force as to prostrate it. The ranger was unable to see the finish as the deer escaped over the ridge.

The Leader reports that Chas. Marshall, a farmer of the Reed and Hawley mountain has had the misfortune of losing all of his work horses, four good animals all less than four years old. He reported the symptoms of the disease, to the Oregon Agricultural college and has been advised that it was spinal meningitis. This is ascribed to eating mouldy vegetation or to drinking water that has seeped through it.

Mrs. M. L. Watts and Mrs. W. P. Littlejohn went to Weston Thursday afternoon, and made arrangements for the appearance there Thursday evening of next week, of the play, "Miss Molly," which will be put on here tomorrow evening by the local Rebekahs. Weston people assure them of a good house, and that the Athena high school auditorium will be packed tomorrow evening, goes without saying.

Last Saturday evening at her home on Fourth street, Mrs. M. L. Watts made her class of boys in the Baptist Sunday school happy by a splendid party, held in their honor. The boys, twelve in number, were invited to bring each a friend, and so the number was augmented to twenty-four happy children. Games were devised for their entertainment and hearty refreshments served.

Zoeth Houser, of the firm of Houser & Hoskins of Echo, agents for the Waterloo Boy tractor, is in the city today in the interests of his firm. The Waterloo Boy is a one man tractor, weighs 4500 pounds, is 12-24 horsepower, pulls three 14-inch plows, burns either kerosene or distillate, and is peculiarly adapted to all kinds of farm work, that is performed by tractors.

Mrs. J. C. Martin, whose sickness was mentioned last week, has since developed a dangerous case of pneumonia, and for several days her life was almost despaired of, but her friends are glad to know that she is now fairly on the road to recovery. Two trained nurses have been in attendance upon her all week. Besides Mrs. Martin's sickness, her two daughters are at home ill with measles.

A cooked food and pastry sale is announced to be held Saturday March 10 by the ladies of Mackenzie Chapter, O. E. S. The sale will be held in the Fosch-Winslip hardware store, and will be for the benefit of the piano fund for Masonic hall. The aid of members of the Eastern Star and Masons and their families is solicited, in providing articles for the sale, and anything in the way of estates will be thankfully received. The generous patronage of the public is solicited.

The closing services of the evangelistic campaign at the Methodist church will be held next Sunday evening at 7:30. Excellent interest has been shown during these meetings and large results are expected from the closing service. The co-operation of all the churches of Athena in these meetings is appreciated. The Male chorus of the Christian church will sing at this meeting. New members will be received into the church Sunday morning. The Sunday school will meet at ten with a place for every one. Walter S. Gleiser.

A delightful afternoon was spent Wednesday by the members of the Star Club, when they enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. B. B. Richards, at her home on Jefferson street. The afternoon was passed with needle work and sociability, and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Marion Hansell. Five new members were received into the club: Mrs. D. H. Sanders, Mrs. William Pinkerton, Mrs. J. O. Russell, Mrs. Floyd Pinkerton and Mrs. Marion Hansell. Mrs. R. A. Thompson was a special guest of the hostess.

Wednesday evening in the Christian church banquet room, a farewell reception was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John T. King and family, who leave tomorrow for their new home in Idaho. After a series of games, plates were served, cafeteria style, to about one hundred guests, and a most delicious repast was enjoyed. Speeches were made by Geo. R. Gerking, G. B. Woodward, Dr. W. R. Scott, A. M. Meldrum and D. Errett, Mr. and Mrs. King responding in appreciation of the honors given them. The Bible school class of young people taught by Mrs. King tendered her some valuable silver.

Rogers' Hawaiians will be at the Athena Opera house, Sunday evening March 4, for one night only. This is without exception one of the finest native Hawaiian troupes on the road, and by virtue of having to put in a date, Manager Sebasky was fortunate in securing them for a performance here. Every member of the company is an artist, and assemble in the prettiest, daintiest, sweetest musical novelties. You have heard their weird, clinging melodies on the music machines, now is your opportunity to see and hear the performers in real life in an immortal beauty of music that will never fade while music beauty lives upon the earth. Admission, 15 cents and 50 cents. No reserve seats.—Adv.

Senator Barrett Ill.
The Portland Journal of yesterday says: "State Senator C. A. Barrett of Athena, is seriously ill at the Imperial hotel with heart trouble. Accompanied by Mrs. Barrett, he came to Portland Tuesday morning following the closing of the legislature. Mr. Barrett had been ill for some time and on arrival in Portland his condition became so serious that he was unable to proceed to his home in Athena. Senator Barrett was in poor health when he left his home here to attend the session of the legislative assembly and his friends regretted the necessity for his leaving home at the time. It is sincerely hoped that his present illness may not be of long duration."

School Notes.

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ry Koepke; "Robert Brown," clerk of Benson & Benson, Verne Dudley; "Jenkins," Miss Rebecca's butler, Lawson Booher; "Rebecca Luke," a maiden lady, Evalyn Hurd; "Katherine Rogers," her niece, Zola Keen; "Marion Bryant," Katherine's friend, Helen Russell; "Patty," Miss Rebecca's maid, Kathren Froome.

Features of the meeting of the Literary Society last Friday afternoon were the increased attendance of the public and the speeches given by Revs. Gleiser and Bentley at the close of the program. Mr. Gleiser was surprised at the increased interest shown in the meetings, and made the statement that he could almost see the society grow since his last visit. Mr. Bentley's talk centered on the physical, intellectual and spiritual growth of a student, the idea of winning through determination. For the next meeting, March 9, the program committee has arranged an exceptionally unique and interesting program. A special feature will be the reading of the first edition of the "Spectator," under the recently elected editor-in-chief. The program, to which the public is cordially invited, follows:

Song, "Spanish Cavalier," Society Reading, Frances Williams Speech, "Advice to the Freshmen," - Frances Fehr Piano solo, Kenneth Bentley Speech, Miss Brierley Pantomime, Edna McAlexander & Henry Koepke "Spectator," Society paper, Annabel McLeod Song, Mr. H. A. Post Reading, Leslie Smith Report of Critic, Ernest Duncan

The Athena Press Honor Cup was won for the month of February by the pupils of Miss Wagner's room, they receiving 177½ points. Points received by other rooms are: Miss Sherman's, 103½; Miss Barnes 100; Miss Fortna's, 104; and High school, 145.
The following pupils have been out this week on account of sickness: Olive Shick, Muriel Carden, Nina Tharp, Jeannette Miller, and Bessie and Gertrude Martin.

Visitors were Mrs. S. S. Hutt and Mrs. Hansell.

Lloyd Mathers, a pupil of Miss Fortna's room, has entered the declamatory contest.

Tubers and Onions Soar.

Potatoes and onions will be kept in safety deposit vaults soon according to predictions of Tacoma dealers. With another advance of \$5 in potatoes that sent them jobbing at \$70 a ton for Yakimas and \$65 for locals, Tacoma retail dealers predicted a price of \$41 a sack in a day or two, the highest price ever paid for potatoes in Tacoma. Onions also are scarce, being quoted at 10 cents a pound, as compared with 4 cents and 5 cents a year ago.

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86-inch stripe "Tub Silk," .98	Men's work Gloves, 49-.69-.98-1.49
Silk petticoats in changeable and plain colors, all the very latest styles, .29-.39	"Arrow Collars," all styles, .15
Middys, all styles, .98	Men's Fibre Silk Socks, .25
40-inch Georgette Crepe, 1.49	Boys' Suits, Knicker, 1.98 to 4.98
40-inch Crepe de Chine, 1.23-1.49	Men's work Socks, 05-.08 1-3-.12½
26-inch Messaline, .79	Men's Cambrere Socks, .25
	Men's heavy wool Socks, .25
	Canvas Gloves, heavy knit wrist, .10

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