

### Press Paragraphs

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burke visited in Walla Walla yesterday.

Mrs. A. A. Foss is visiting friends in Dayton, Wash., this week.

Mrs. Victor Burke and baby were Pendleton visitors Wednesday.

Let us take a look at those old tires. Athena Vulcanizing Shop.—Adv.

A. A. Foss spent the week in Portland, where he went on a business visit.

Fancy Mountain potatoes, \$1.25 per sack. Fix & Radtke, The Money Back Store.

A. M. Johnson is attending the Lumbermen's convention at Walla Walla today.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Miller left Wednesday for their home at Ephrata, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Richards and their son, Roland, are in Portland this week.

Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Sharp were in Pendleton yesterday, where the doctor appeared as witness in the Starr-N. P. case.

F. S. LeGrow returned from a business trip to Portland, Wednesday morning.

Al Sigmon, Harvey and Jacob Booher have returned from a couple of weeks' visit in Portland.

F. M. Berry, of the Berry Monument works of Walla Walla was a business visitor in Athena yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bern Banister are at Shepherd Springs, Wash., and will remain there for several weeks.

Before buying new casings, see us. We may be able to save you money. Athena Vulcanizing Shop.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunning will leave tomorrow for Spokane, where Mr. Dunning will attend the mechanics school.

Russell Piersol's new address is Naval Training Station, The Great Lakes, Illinois. Russell was transferred to that station recently from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alderman moved to Pendleton this week, to reside. Mr. Alderman has been connected with the Peoples theatre in this city in the capacity of manager.

Miss Zola Keen, who finished her high school studies at the close of the first semester, matriculated Monday with Whitman College, where she will pursue her studies.

Special—All 21c and 25c ginghams will go at the cleanup price of 15c per yard, at Fix & Radtke's, The Money Back Store.

Rex Payne, writing from Portland, where he is employed, signifies his intention of enlisting in the Navy in the near future.

Ukiah and Pilot Rock report a light fall of snow. In this part of the county, a heavy rainfall has occurred during the week.

George W. Hansell, accompanied by Jack Fenton, real estate dealer, was down from Lewiston, Idaho, the fore part of the week.

Roy Zerba is now with the aviation corps "somewhere in France," a letter to that effect having been received by relatives some days ago.

Mary and Louis, children in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berlin, have been quite ill the past week threatened with pneumonia.

G. C. Taylor, manager of the Golden Rule Store, is in Salt Lake this week, attending the convention of Golden Rule managers from the coast States.

If it costs 20 cents to buy an undelivered, unguaranteed grain sack, what will it cost to have a good storage tank standing in your yard or field? Ask Watts and Rogers.—Adv.

A new flag is needed to replace the one now flying from the municipal flag staff at the intersection of Main and Third streets. A chance for some one to take the matter up is presented.

Samuel Pambrun and Marion Hansell were in Portland this week, fraternizing with the Mystic Shriners. A class of Umatilla county Masons joined that order during its session in Portland this week.

Miss Velva Mansfield and Miss Kathryn Froome entertained at the home of Miss Mansfield one evening this week at progressive 500. Refreshments were served, the evening being most pleasantly passed by all present.

Miss Bertha Sebaskey, who was one of the successful contestants in the Tribune voting contest, and who with other young ladies won a free trip to California, is thankful to Athena people who supported her in the contest.

Rev. and Mrs. V. K. Allison, formerly of Moore, Montana, are visiting at the D. Scott Fisher home, having accompanied Mrs. Fisher home last week. Mr. Allison will be assigned to the pastorate of the Christian church at Halfway, Oregon.

Nat Kimball, a well known young man of Pendleton and a recruit in the United States Navy, stationed at the training camp in Philadelphia, was in the city the fore part of the week visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Omar Stephens.

Mrs. James Sturgis is engaged in Red Cross work at the National Headquarters in Washington, D. C. She writes that a cablegram received some time ago from her husband tells of his safe arrival in France, he having sailed on Christmas Eve from New York, with a detachment of the 41st division.

The young ladies of the Upi-Dee Society will give a dance in benefit of the local Red Cross auxiliary, at the Athena opera house on the evening of Saturday, February 2. The Anderson sisters of Pendleton will furnish the music for the occasion. Admittance tickets will be sold by the young ladies at \$1.00 each.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer I. Watts entertained at their home on Fifth street Friday evening, this being the fourth in a series of card parties being given by a group of the young married people of the city. Five hundred was played, five tables being occupied. Refreshing punch was served, and a most pleasant evening is reported.

Mrs. W. R. Taylor returned the first of the week, after a pleasant month's visit in the Valley. Mrs. Taylor was with her sister and mother at Corvallis for some time, going from there to Portland and Cornelius, where she visited Mrs. Chas. Norris. From there she went to Centralia, Wash., and also visited Camp Lewis, near Tacoma, where she endeavored, but failed, to see Delbert Gerking, who is stationed there.

At the Christian church yesterday, a most interesting all day session was held by the local W. C. T. U., which was in the nature of an annual prayer service. About seventy-five were present throughout the day, and some special features were introduced by the members of the various churches in solos, duets and quartets. At 4 p. m., a class of school children under the direction of Mrs. Errett, presented a feature in "The Dry Line," which was particularly pleasing. Out of town visitors were Rev. and Mrs. Allison, formerly of Moore, Montana. Reverends Baker, Gleiser and Errett each had charge of a period of the day, and a most profitable day is reported.

Henry Knight of the eighth grade quit school last week. Plenty of time to do outdoor work after your eighth grade work is completed, Henry.

The boys of the seventh and eighth grades will have Mr. Shaffner for their physical instructor for the coming semester, instead of Mr. Gribble, who formerly taught them. The new schedule made this change.

George Lieuellen of the eighth grade took the midyear State examinations last Thursday and Friday. Bryce Baker also took the examinations in two subjects. We hope to hear favorable reports from their papers.

The pupils of Miss Lawson's room are taking up bird study this semester. They are learning to recognize the first birds of Spring and are keeping charts of them.

The pupils of Miss Wolf's sewing class put the articles which they made the first semester, on exhibit, Tuesday evening in the Domestic Science room. Those interested in their work will certainly enjoy a visit to see the class exhibit.

Mrs. Myrick, Mrs. Berlin, Mrs. Michener and Mr. L. Ringel, were visitors in Miss Sherman's room last week.

Miss Zola Keen, who completed the course of study in the Athena High school, entered Whitman College for the second semester. Her loss will be keenly felt by the school, since she took a prominent part in all school activities.

Maebelle Duncan, who recently returned from Canada with her parents, registered as a Freshman Monday.

### ANNUAL REPORT OF ATHENA BRANCH LIBRARY

The following is the report of the Athena branch library, from December 1, 1916, to Dec 31, 1917:

No. adult books circulated: Fiction 2228, non fiction 267.	Total	2595
No. juvenile books circulated		1570
No. Magazines		3017
Total		8182
No. readers registered adult	87	
children, 42	Total	129
No. books added by purchase		153
No. books added by gift		36
Financial Statement.		
Cash on hand Dec. 1, 1916		32.13
Cash from City		150.00
Entertainments		111.11
Total		293.24
Expenditures Itemized.		
Librarian's salary		115.50
Rent		25.15
Magazines		52.48
New books		16.00
Janitor		5.25
Heat		76.10
Light		200.68
Incidentals		2.56
Total		663.29
Balance		61.70
Total		\$ 1.69
Anna Foss, Sec.-Treas.		

### 23 Years Ago.

[From the Press of Jan. 25 1895]

Pendleton is to have a new opera house warming tonight.

Born, near Athena, Jan. 11, 1895, to the wife of Z. F. Fawcett, a girl.

Thirty thousand sacks of wheat remain stored in the warehouse at Helix.

Senator A. R. Price came from Salem on a visit Saturday, returning Sunday night.

The coldest days since 1895 made its initial bow was January 8th, when the thermometer registered 11 degrees above zero at Walla Walla.

The teachers in Pendleton public schools have voluntarily made the proposition to the school board to accept a 10 per cent discount in wages.

At the C. A. Barrett Co.'s store is a subscription paper that is worthy and awaits your name. It is for contributions for Nebraska's starving people.

The Chinese New Year begins today. Local Celestials will cease their labors and proceed to celebrate, an operation that requires about three days.

The question for debate at the Stamper school house last Saturday night was: "Resolved, that man will go farther for gold, than for the love of woman."

L. B. Reeder, an attorney well known to the people of Athena, at present practicing law at Colville, Wash., writes to friends that he will soon locate in Athena.

T. J. Kirk returned from Salem Saturday last where he had been shoveling snow from the Dolph track.

Gettysburg Post No. 38, G. A. R. of Helix, last Saturday elected the following officers: J. H. Ross, Commanding; S. T. Isaac, S. V. C.; N. Auspach, I. V. C.; Clark Walter, Adj.; J. A. Gross, Surgeon; J. H. King, O. D.; A. Shick, O. G.

Clover Leaf Lodge, No. 35, Degree of Honor, was instituted Thursday evening, with the following officers: P. C. of H., Mrs. Louise Rosenzweig; C. of B., Mrs. Callender; L. of H., Mrs. Pearl Hawks; C. of C., Mrs. Louise Boyd; Rec., Mrs. Maggie McKinley; Fin., Mrs. May Johns; Usher, Mrs. Fannie Leach; I. W., Mrs. Laura Froome; O. W. R. O. Hawks; Trustees, Mrs. Ann Kirk, Mrs. Minnie France, Mrs. Fannie Leach.

Work will soon commence on Athena's waterworks system.

Strayed or Stolen.—One three-year-old filly, bay, branded P on left stifle. Reward. Peter Weidert, Walla Walla, Wash. 4c

### School Notes.

The advance sales for the Red Cross benefit entertainments have not yet reached the total expected to date. The committees on sales report nearly 100 seats pledged. This is only one half the goal set by February 1st. The close of this week will see an increase in sales without doubt. All the solicitors need to do is to go after the job and finish it on schedule time. Wednesday midweek assembly was used by the High school as Red Cross Benefit rally meeting. Further sales and a more comprehensive campaign was duly planned. When you are waited upon by the solicitors, show your interest in both school and Red Cross by purchasing a season ticket. The pleasure will all be yours. Reserved season seats \$2.00, \$1.75, \$1.50 \$1.00.

The second semester of the Athena High school began last Monday morning. During the first two periods of the morning, Mr. Russell gave an explanation of the course to all the High school students. The schedule had already been made out and placed on the board so that the next two periods were spent in the assignment of registration cards and lessons. Practically all students were registered so that regular recitations began at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

# GROCERIES

Some day, somewhere, you may find better groceries than these at the prices quoted, but we'll stake our reputation on the fact that, considering present day conditions, you'll not find their superior in value anywhere.

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Tuna Fish, the can... 25c	Borax aid for kitchen... 15c
Dill Pickles, the can... 20c	Borax for the Bath, box... 10c
Large ripe Olives... 35c	Chipped Beef the glass... 20c
Stuffed Olives, large glass 45c	Armour sliced Bacon... 35c
Queen Olives, the bottle... 25c	Eagle Milk, the can... 25c
Lipton Tea, the package... 10c	Lighthouse Clean'r 4 cans 25c
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## DEERING COMBINE?

Notice of Final Account.  
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.  
In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Wood, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern that Arnold Wood, Administrator of the estate of William H. Wood, deceased, has filed his final account and report in the administration of the estate; that the County Judge by order duly made and entered has appointed Wednesday, the 27th day of February 1918, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon as the time and the County Court House of Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place where all objections and exceptions to the said final account and report will be heard and settlement thereof made.  
Dated this 26th day of January, A. D. 1918. Arnold Wood, Administrator.  
Will M. Peterson, Attorney for Administrator.

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