

**Press Paragraphs**

For spring fryers, phone 268, Athena.—Adv.

Wanted.—A piano to rent. Inquire at this office.

Mrs. Orell McPherson visited with relatives in Weston this week.

A card from Charlie Brown announces his safe arrival in France.

Marion Hansell and Ralph Hassell motored to Walla Walla Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheard are spending the week at Walla Walla Lake.

Mrs. Wyrick, of Pendleton, has been a guest at the Rothrock home the past week.

L. L. Montague, of Arlington, is reported very ill in a hospital at The Dalles.

The Knitting Club silver tea is in progress this afternoon, at the Red Cross headquarters.

J. W. Maloney and son Harold were in the city Tuesday from Pendleton, en route to Seattle, by auto.

Special.—25c., 30c and 35c Ginghams for one week at 21 cents per yard. Athena Department Store.

Mrs. Joseph Williams of Spokane, is in the city visiting her sisters, Mrs. I. W. Ware and Miss Rozena Demmer.

Misses Marian and Zelma Goodman and Clem Goodman of Freewater, were guests Sunday of Miss Thelma Crabbill.

Mrs. Lee Wilson and Mrs. Ed Morgan of Prescott, Wash., are visiting at the Wm. Rice and Fred Gross homes.

Mrs. Omar Stephens has as her guests for a couple of days, her mother, Mrs. Kimball, and Mrs. William Goedecke, of Pendleton.

Mrs. Ralph Hassell, Mrs. Omar Stephens and Miss Ruth Rothrock motored to Pendleton Tuesday in the Rothrock car.

Dr. Sharp reports a new baby daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lieuallen, who reside near Weston, born August 25th, 1918.

Miss Mary C. Ayres, the Baptist missionary, will be in the city for some time to come to take up her work in this city and vicinity.

Miss Ruth Rothrock and her mother will spend the winter months in California, where it is hoped Mrs. Rothrock's health may be benefited.

W. A. Storle, father of Elmer Storle, and a prominent farmer of Pendleton died in the hospital there Saturday, and was buried Monday.

The third cutting of alfalfa is being put in the stack this week, and reports from the fields are to the effect that this is the best crop of the season.

For Sale.—Horse and buggy, driving mare, wt. 1100, buggy bran new. Harness for sale at reasonable price. Seth Haworth, Athena. Phone 23F4.

W. D. Chamberlain is in the city on official business. He is connected with the tax department of internal revenue service and is adjusting special tax payments.

The Athena Honor Guards will hereafter use the Red Cross headquarters for a meeting place. The Guard will meet next Friday afternoon, instead of Thursday.

No Shooting Allowed.—My farm is in the game preserve and no hunting or shooting of Mongolian pheasants will be allowed. Jackson Nelson, Athena, Oregon.

Mrs. S. F. Sharp, chairman of the local Red Cross, has received 4 dozen refugee garments, which must be finished before October 1st. All workers take notice.

In the draft contingent leaving Pendleton Tuesday morning, Athena was represented by Jesse Myrick, who goes to Camp Lewis, and Charles Payne, to Fort McDowell, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kibbe have returned to Athena from Condon, where Mr. Kibbe worked through harvest. He reports grain there yielded from 15 to 25 bushels per acre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. H. Mansfield are preparing to move to Walla Walla. Miss Maude will have a position in a store there, and Velva will take a course of study in business.

Miss Greta McIntyre will attend Whitman College this year. Mrs. McIntyre will reside in Walla Walla during the school year, having rented a residence at 404, Sumach street.

Mrs. A. A. Foss is prepared to furnish information to any one regarding home service work pertaining to the war. War insurance, and all other features of information, included.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reeder have returned from an automobile trip to points on Puget Sound. The trip was an enjoyable one, good roads being in evidence, with slight exceptions.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pinkerton have returned from the country, where they assisted in harvesting the Watta Bros' grain crop, and will be janitors at the Athena school building again this year.

The housewives of Athena are invited to attend a cooking demonstration of Wear Ever Aluminum at the Christian church Monday at 2:30. Each housewife will receive an aluminum pan.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cannon left Monday morning for Walla Walla, where they will spend several days. There is good fishing in the Walla Walla, and when Ralph returns, we would suggest that his friends have their measuring tape ready, and verify any tales he may unfold.

Sunday while motoring in the mountains near Evan Grade, Fred Radtke discovered a rattlesnake in the road. He stopped the car and killed the reptile, which appeared to be blind. Mr. Radtke carried home as a trophy of the day's hunt, nine rattles and a couple of grouse.

Flint Johns received his call Monday, to report at the Naval Training school in Seattle, and left Tuesday morning in response to it. He was accompanied to their home in Vancouver, by his mother, Mrs. M. M. Johns, who has spent the summer here with Mr. and Mrs. Melville Johns.

Quite a large number of people from this vicinity were in Pendleton Tuesday to bid farewell to the soldier boys leaving for Camp Lewis. The Athena Honor Guard Girls helped to provide the boxes for the boys, and incidentally took advantage of the occasion to announce and sell tickets for their harvest ball, which is to be given on the evening of September 6th, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

About thirty-five Athena women gathered Wednesday afternoon at the local Red Cross headquarters to hear Miss Lorene Parker, Home Demonstration agent, in her lecture and demonstration of sugarless jellies and preserves. Miss Parker gave some very valuable pointers on canning, drying and brining fruits, meats and vegetables, marked interest being manifested in her instructions.

Mrs. Eleanor McPherrin left Tuesday morning for Portland, from whence, after spending a few days, she will go to California to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Oswald. She was accompanied to Portland by her little grandson, Wendell Bell, who goes to join his mother there. From Portland she will be accompanied by Mrs. Oswald's little two year old daughter, who has spent the summer with relatives there.

Preparations are under way for making the Athena Girls' Honor Guard harvest ball a success in every particular, on the evening of September 6th. A large number of tickets have already been sold, which insures a large attendance. Visitors from Pendleton, Weston and other towns of the county will be in attendance, giving their patronage generously for the reason that all proceeds will be turned over to the Red Cross.

F. S. LeGrow, M. L. Watts, F. B. Boyd and W. P. Littlejohn, were in Walla Walla Wednesday night and heard Private O'Rourke, of the Canadian army, address an audience of men, only. Mr. O'Rourke proved to be one of the most forceful speakers on war issues and army life appearing before the public of the Northwest. His command of expletives in denouncing the atrocious Hun proved limitless, and the climaxes of his address were emphatic, to say the least.

Monday evening at the home of her mother, Miss Ruth Rothrock served a three course six o'clock dinner in honor of her brother, Everett, and William Russell Jr., George Banister Jr., and Herbert Buoy, all of whom left yesterday for Bremerton, Wash., to report for service in the U. S. Navy. Other guests at dinner were Lawson Booher, Roland Andre, Claude Coomans, John Rothrock Jr., and Sam Rothrock. Miss Rothrock was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Hugh Lieuallen.

The big caterpillar of Watta Bros. partially slid into an old well out at the ranch Wednesday. A shaft was sprung and the track on one side dislocated. "Sportie," Homer's favorite fox terrier, investigating the disaster, tumbled into the well and was finally rescued by Homer, who descended to the bottom after him. Bill Dobson, in describing the incident, remarked: "The cat fell in the well, Sportie went after the cat and I went after Sportie, and I lifted the whole cheese out!"

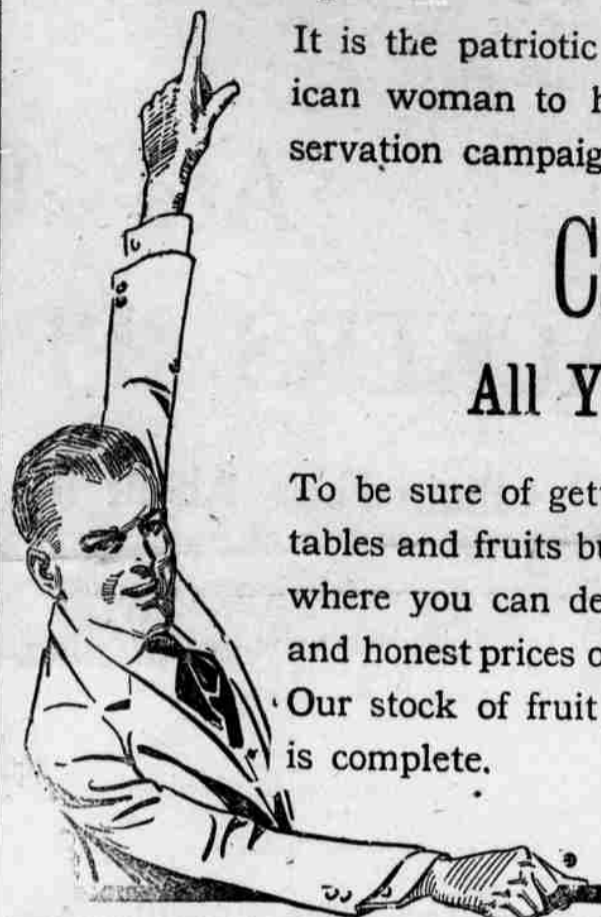
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City Superintendent of Schools Hall was in town Tuesday, making preparations to move his family here from North Poudre, Baker county, next week. He has rented the Kidder cottage, corner of 5th and College streets. Prof. Hall spent his summer vacation working in the shipyards in Portland.

**Books Donated.**

The following books were recently donated by Brice Baker, Athena High school boy, to the juvenile shelves of the local library:

Jack London.—The Sea Wolf.  
Alger.—Young Explorer.  
Frank V. Webster.—Only a Farm Boy.  
Rene Barin.—This, My Son.  
Alger Jr.—Risen From the Ranks.  
Alger Jr.—The Young Salesman.  
Alger Jr.—The Young Miner.  
Mayne Reid.—Boy Slaves.  
Lewis B. Miller.—Saddles and Lariats.

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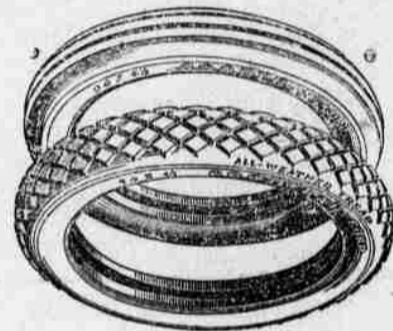
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Miss Jessie Brierley, who resigned her position as principal of the Athena High school to accept a position in the new high school at Pilot Rock, will teach during the coming year at Milton, instead.

Mrs. Otis Whiteman came down from LaCrosse Wednesday to see her brother, Lieut. Maurice Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Rider are expected from North Yakima today, to join in the family reunion.

Mr. R. E. Stewart's sample of corn left at Foss' hardware store for inspection, has been gloriously vanquished by a sample measuring nine feet in height, left there by Mrs. Sabina Morton. Next!

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Taylor have received announcement of the wedding of Miss Estella Elizabeth Keefer, of Houston, Texas to Captain Benjamin Franklin Foster, U. S. A., to take place on September 7th.

Miss Hazel Sanders, who had planned to matriculate with St. Helen's Hall in Portland, has decided to finish her high school course at Corvallis, the coming year, living at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Ashpaugh.

Marion Hansell and family are spending a couple of weeks at Bingham Springs. Among others who are at that resort from in and near Athena are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coppock and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clemons.

Mrs. R. D. Cashatt, and two children and Andrew and Miss Sadie Nordeman motored down from Spokane last Saturday, and are visiting their parents in Weston, and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. NorDean in this city.

Virgil Willaby, who is confined in Ward I, state hospital, Camp Lewis, writes that an operation on his injured ankle developed that a bone was fractured and that it will be some time before he will be able to participate in training.

A party held in honor of the Athena boys leaving this week to join the navy, was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mathers, Tuesday evening. Miss Elizabeth Mathers being hostess to the number of young people participating.

Members of McKeonzie Chapter, O. E. S., are notified that September 4th, being the first Wednesday in September, meetings will be resumed on that date, and held on first and third Wednesdays of each month. By order of the Worthy Matron.

Mrs. Olin F. McFeron received a card stating the ship on which her husband sailed has arrived safely overseas. Mrs. McFeron is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crabbill, of this city, while her husband is in the army.

George Mulkey, who is perhaps the oldest actively working cowboy in Eastern Oregon, was in Athena the other day from the cattle range. George's locks begin to show white beneath his hat brim, and his legs may have a little more of the cowboy curve than of yore, and maybe he "pulls leather" once in awhile; but at that, he sabbes th' burro just the same. Ask him!

**The Churches.**

**Baptist Church Notes.**  
Next Sunday, September 6th, the regular service in the morning. Miss Mary C. Ayres, our Missionary, will speak. The B. Y. P. U. will meet at the usual hour in the evening, 7 o'clock. Let all the members be present. Union service in the evening at the Christian church.

Wednesday evening Sept 4th, will be a business meeting in connection with the prayer meeting. Every member is urged to be present at this service. Don't fail. D. E. Baker, Pastor.

**Methodist Episcopal Church.**  
Next Sunday will mark the close of the Conference year for this church. Regular services will be held, Sunday school at 10 and preaching service at 11. Every member should be present. The evening service will be held with the other congregations at the Christian church.

Sunday, September 8th, will be one of the big days of the Columbia River Conference at Pendleton. Bishop Homer C. Stuntz of Philadelphia will preach at the morning service. You will be welcome to attend the sessions of the conference, Sept. 8 to 9.  
Walter S. Gleiser.

**The Christian Church.**  
Preaching and Communion service at 11, Sunday school at 10. Union meeting at the Christian church Sunday night.  
B. E. Burton, Pastor.

**Wireless Improved.**  
According to an English electrical publication, a valuable improvement has been made in the shape of the addition of metal springs to the aerials on shipboard for the purpose of acting as lightning rods, thus overcoming the danger of fire.