

Press Paragraphs

Mr. and Mrs. George Battister were in Pendleton Tuesday.

Mrs. Lee Johnson visited relatives in Pendleton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDaniel were in the city Wednesday from Weston.

Miss Mildred Winship spent the weekend with friends in Walla Walla.

Mrs. Elmer Booher is here from Condon on a week's visit with relatives.

An epidemic of colds prevails among Athena inhabitants this week, and the Press force has not been exempt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gribble spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Giler, at Echo.

Miss Eubenson, high school teacher, spent Sunday with friends in Walla Walla.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Lash, in Walla Walla, April 27, 1919, a daughter.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Desper.

Mrs. M. L. Watts has returned home from a visit with her daughter, Verita, in Portland.

Clyde McPherrin has returned from the Sound, where he has been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fisk of Weston, were guests at the Charles McFarland home, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Worthington and son, Emory, were in the city from Pendleton, Sunday evening.

Rev. Pratt, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, spent a portion of the week in Pullman, Wash.

J. A. Kirk has sold his Buick car to Omar Stephens, and has purchased a new Buick Six, 1919 model.

Miss Frances Williams was detained at home from school a couple of days this week, on account of illness.

The 162nd infantry (formerly the third Oregon) less company H, arrived in New York Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Peterson and children of Pendleton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dudley.

Mrs. W. C. Emmel, who is taking medical treatment in Pendleton, spent a couple of days this week at her home in Athena.

Charles Grant has closed the Palace Cafe and returned to Condon, from which place he came to Athena, several weeks ago.

Prof Hall of the Athena public schools, wife and little daughter, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, south of town.

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Mrs. Jackson Nelson attended the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Wm. Blakeley of Pendleton, yesterday, on invitation of Mrs. Blakeley's daughter Mrs. Sam Thompson.

The Oregon state trap shoot will be held at Pendleton next week, beginning Monday. Athena shooters are interested in the big contest, and some of them will probably participate.

Major Lyman Griswold, after serving with the engineers in France for 14 months, has returned to his home in Helix. Major Griswold was gassed while in command of his battalion in the field.

With warmer weather, garden truck is growing fast and grain is forging ahead. A number of splendid samples of growing grain were brought to town this week and exhibited by the farmers.

Weston relatives have received announcement of the death of Edward Beathe, which occurred April 10. The young man who was raised at Weston, was an engineer on a United States transport.

Mrs. M. L. Watts is driving a fine new Winton Six purchased at Walla Walla this week. The car is a beauty and is equipped with up-to-the-minute appliances. A feature is the upholstery.

J. M. Hayes, a former Athena resident, is here visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Berlin. Mr. Hayes but recently returned from the Middle West, where he visited relatives in Missouri, Kansas and Iowa.

Watts & Rogers will soon have new office quarters in the Barrett Building. The office will be located at the back end of the store room. It will be constructed of concrete. Hiram Knight having the construction contract.

Odd fellows day at Pendleton last Saturday, where the lodges of the county met and celebrated the 100th anniversary of the founding of the order, was a big event for all who attended from here. The unanimous report is that a bingup good time was enjoyed.

Weston Leader: Mrs. R. L. Reynaud and Mrs. Robert Proudfit entertained at the home of Mrs. Reynaud Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. F. Snider, who is leaving Weston to make her home in Athena. The rooms were tastefully decorated with artistic baskets of peach blossoms. Jokes and social chat contributed to the afternoon's entertainment, followed by the serving of delicious refreshments by Mesdames Reynaud and Proudfit. Those present were: Mrs. W. H. Gould Mrs. Frank Price, Mrs. J. O. Wood, Mrs. Ernest Ross, Mrs. H. Goodwin, Mrs. J. F. Snider, Mrs. Robert Proudfit and Mrs. R. L. Reynaud.

In Mrs. Miller's real estate office is displayed a wheat sample from Alex McIntyre's field, the stalks measuring 27 inches. Mr. McIntyre has a large acreage of growing grain that at this time gives excellent indications of producing a bumper yield, with favorable growing conditions. Jos. N. Scott also has a large acreage which shows up exceedingly well. In fact, the entire producing area of this section looks up in very favorable light, at this time.

The Weston Leader reports that as a result of the extremely heavy snows in the mountains considerable damage was done to buildings at the Blue Mountain sawmill. Roofs of the bunk house, barn and box-shed warehouse partly collapsed under the weight of what was reported at one time to have been nine feet of snow.

Elmer Storie, of the firm of Sturges & Storie, was in town Tuesday from Walla Walla. The firm has disposed of a large number of caterpillar tractors and self-propelled harvesters this season. They had a splendid exhibit at the Walla Walla tractor show last week.

Henry Thompson was in town Wednesday and took a bunch of Henry Barrett's sheep to the foothill range across the Umatilla river. The sheep were wintered on the Barrett place north of town, consists of a band of ewes and lambs, and left for the range in good condition.

Ross Catron, employed by Alex McIntyre, was kicked by a mule Monday and seriously injured. Mr. Catron was struck in the stomach, and Dr. Sharpe was at once called in attendance. The patient is getting along as well as could be expected at this time.

John Rothrock and Green Estes contemplate taking a recreation trip into the mountains in the southwest part of the county. They have loaded an automobile with bedding, fishing tackle and grub, and propose to remain in the hills for some time.

Joe Hodgson has "fixed up" his office at the mill in truly elegant style—and now it is said that all he needs is a young lady stenographer of a type to match the furniture.—Weston Leader. What's the color of the Major's furniture?

Dr. Horace P. Belknap, who married Miss Gladys Andre of this city, has arrived in Weston from France, where he served in the medical corps. Prior to giving his services to Uncle Sam, Dr. and Mrs. Balknap resided in Portland.

For the second time in a period of 16 years, the county jail contained no prisoners, this week. On April 5, 1918, the jail was unoccupied by prisoners, for the first time in 15 years, remaining tenanted for three days.

No meeting of the local Red Cross was held this week on account of having no work on hand, but a consignment consisting of boys shirts has been received, and a good attendance is requested for next Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Banister enjoyed a short visit Wednesday from her sister, Mrs. E. H. Leonard, who motored down from Waitsburg with Mr. Leonard on a business trip.

M. L. Watts, Omar Stephens, Marion Hansell, Ralph Cannon and W. P. Littlejohn attended the trap shoot at Waitsburg yesterday. A high wind prevented good shooting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harden have gone to the Gold Springs ranch of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kilgore, for the summer months.

Mrs. A. B. McEwen, who is visiting her children here from Portland, went to Helix Saturday, to be a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Norvell, for a few days.

George Gross was taken suddenly ill at his home on Fourth street, Wednesday evening, but is much better at present.

The Churches.

Baptist Church Notes.

The Bible school will meet as usual at 10 a. m. This will be the only service at the church next Sunday on account of the Umatilla Baptist Association meeting at Pendleton. A week from Sunday, Mothers' Day will be appropriately observed. The music and the sermon will be in keeping with the day. Make your plans to attend.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

We were delighted with our services last Sunday. First, a larger number at Sunday school, an inspiring night being the large class of boys. Several were baptized and ten joined the church in the morning service. And at night a large and appreciative audience enjoyed the sacred concert of recitation and song.

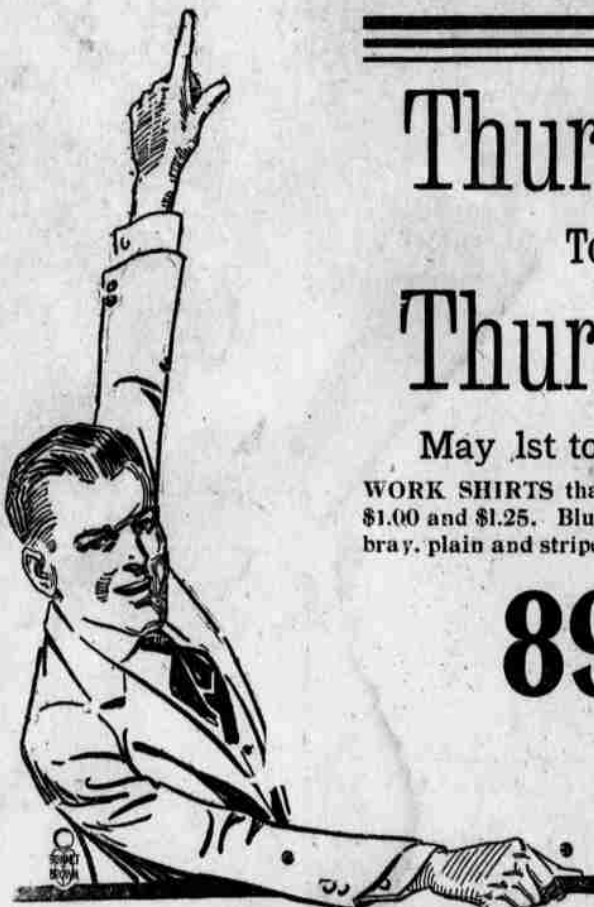
Next Sunday will be a good day with us. At night the pastor will preach about "A Furnace That Failed."

The Christian Church.

Sunday School at 10, preaching at 11 and 8. The text for Sunday night will be: "I Must Also See Rome." Acts 19:21.

Mr. Burton will give a panoramic view of the city as he saw it from the top of the Palatine hill. He will describe the wonders of St. Peter's, Church of the Lateran, the Vatican Palace, the Coliseum, the Mamertine Prison where Paul spent his last days, and some of the masterpieces in sculpture. B. B. Burton, Pastor.

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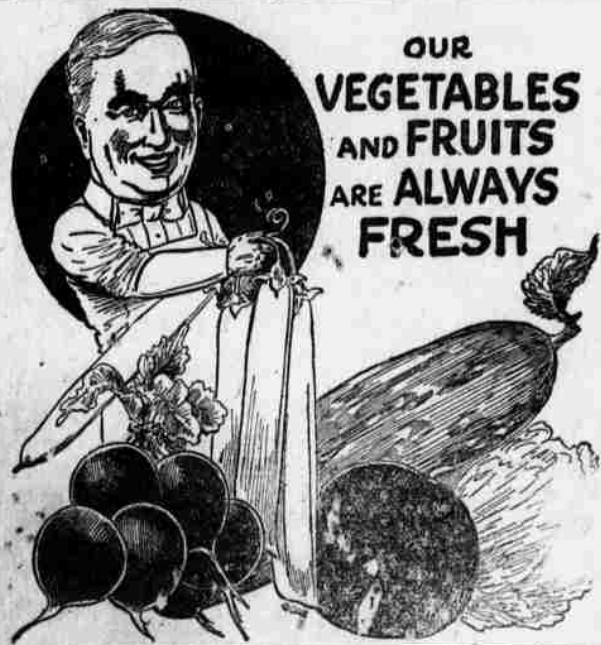
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