



ATHENA, OREGON, MAY 9, 1919

Complaint is made that paper boxes and other wrappings once containing flowers strewn the roadside at the Athena cemetery, much to the detriment of cleanliness and orderly surroundings usually associated with the silent city of the dead. It is as necessary to keep the surroundings of the cemetery clean and free from rubbish as it is to keep it clean within the enclosure, if the true precepts of order and tidiness are to be observed. This unnecessary litter can be easily obviated by individual attention paid to carrying away and destroying used paper wrappings and receptacles.

There are yet a few potential subscribers who have not availed themselves of the opportunity to voluntarily take over their quota of Victory bonds, according to their rating at the bank. The executive committee had hoped that in this last popular loan to the Federal government, it would be unnecessary to solicit, but it is evident that a few remaining outside the ranks of volunteers, are waiting to be called on.

Colin V. Dymont, eminent journalist, Red Cross service man and Dean of the School of Journalism, Washington University, closes a personal letter to the Press man with this statement:

I looked over the editorial page of the Press with much expectation to find some mention of our mutual friend, Colonel Wood. Not finding any of his hide taken off in this particular issue, I was profoundly disappointed. Wood is a scoundrel and I hope you won't let him rest many more weeks without telling the public what he really is.

We thank Mr. Dymont for his words of sympathy and support in our life-long feud with this verbose and vituperous viper, and assure him the affresaid hide, though growing tough and leathery with age, will still be extracted from the kernel's worthless old carcass, as necessity arises.

With a new pumping plant for the Athena water system in transit from the East and lawns and gardens yet holding their own, under supply from the present plant, the outlook for a normal supply this season is improving.

**Camouflaged Philosophy.**

Before marriage they belong to business women's organizations, afterward to card clubs.

The best way to please the Huns is to sink their fleet. Then it can't be trained on them.

As long as we have Mexico there the United States will always be bordering on something.

Can't they get up some substitute better for that sadly overworked phrase, "the acid test"?

There may be married soldiers, of course, who find upon reaching home that the war isn't over.

However, the baseball players who return from the army will find women have not usurped their jobs.

With the increased tax on tobacco, keeping the home fires burning is going to be a further expense.

It's strange that some foreigners who work so hard in the interest of their native land come to America to do it.

Bolshevik Russia, entirely surrounded by food and well-paid labor, would soon be cured of its economic lunacy.

Nothing is so certain about the map of Europe as the fact that it will not be the same as it was five years ago.

All business women, however, are not "bachelor girls," as it takes real business ability to run a home nowadays.

Not even the most intensely loyal American yet has suggested printing the hotel menus in the English language.

The British government proposes more sports as an antidote to unrest. But even Nero supplied bread as well as games.

Gradually interest in the ex-kaiser is dying out. Nobody seems to care to know what kind of whiskers he is growing.

Everybody should help pinch the profiteers.

What, by the way, has become of the old-fashioned flu?

Doctors have nothing on statesmen in capacity to disagree upon the same set of symptoms. It may even be the other way.

As the world's "grub boss," to borrow a section hand phrase, Uncle Sam need not fear any dictation from the hungry.

We have been expecting it ever since we heard how the cost of feed is cutting off the hens. There are to be artificial eggs.

Maybe the cheaper flivver is being brought in to offset the threatened drive for popularity the airplane is about to make.

The British government experts are reported to have devised a silent airplane motor, but so far the experts are also silent.

Man was born to brag. And for the most part, just now, his boasting is confined to telling how long he has worn that old suit.

The number of American propagandists who are actually spreading the awful doctrine of "America first" is rapidly increasing.

Bring out the champion optimist medal for the man who is seeking to secure college men to serve as missionaries to Russia.

Embattled war gardeners should remember that this is not peace but merely an armistice and go on with their preparedness program.

Prices as they now stand indicate that this year's thrift garden will be almost as important an item of economy as last year's war garden.

We do not wage war on babies. The nearest we come to it is taxing the baseballs and bats, which are meat and drink to the American boy.

That new-fangled machine that gives a rider all the motions of a joy trip in an aerial flier without leaving the spot has the advantage of safety first.

One of the Big Berthas which was to reduce Paris to an ash heap is to be placed on exhibition as a curiosity in that city. How have the mighty fallen!

The fact that "13" is generally regarded as a lucky instead of an unlucky number may be cited as evidence that human nature is undergoing a change.

**23 Years Ago.**

[From the Press of May 9, 1896]

Chance Rogers was in town Monday. He has just finished a term of school.

S. H. Forshaw of Portland connected with the Daily Sun, has accepted a position as city editor of the Pendleton Tribune.

An infant son was born a couple of weeks ago to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pierce in Chicago.

Born, in this city, April 27, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. Angus Gillis, a boy.

Wm. Bernard of Weston, was in town Tuesday with a phonograph.

Born, near Hellix, on May 1, 1896, to the wife of Frank King, a girl.

Maurice Johns and family will soon move to the Wormley place west of town.

Chas. Henry will soon leave with a big eastern sheep drive in the capacity of packer.

Yesterday Chas. Norris purchased for his wife the sorrel driving horse that J. N. B. Gerking has driven for several years.

The services of the Athena band have been much in demand by candidates this week.

John McKay and Mrs. Alex McKay visited friends in Athena Monday. The McKay brothers have gone into business in Pendleton.

Last Thursday night Pythian Lodge No. 29, K. of P., conferred three ranks on Reed Hill. Several Western brethren were in attendance.

Several families, friends of Dr. L. Dell, gathered simultaneously at his residence on the night of April 30, and gave him a thorough surprise. The occasion was marked by the doctor's 38th birthday.

E. E. Purrington, John P. McManus, T. J. Kirk, John Adams and J. B. Eddy have incorporated the Tribune Publishing company. The amount of the capital stock is \$5000.

Captain General Weyler is quoted in a Madrid dispatch as saying that the action of the congress of the United States in regard to recognizing the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents has served to increase their number and in consequence it will be necessary to postpone the inauguration of political reforms until the rebellion is crushed. General Weyler is also said to have admitted that the financial situation in Cuba is serious.

**The Churches.**

**Baptist Church Notes.**

Mothers' Day will be appropriately observed. Special music of a high order will be furnished. The pastor

will preach on "Mother Love." You will be interested and helped by attendance upon this service at 11 a. m. Freshing again in the evening at 8 o'clock. The Bible school meets at 10 a. m. Mrs. McIntyre is the superintendent and will make the school interesting and instructive. B. P. Y. U. at 7 o'clock.

Mr. O. E. Draper, county S. S. worker, will hold a meeting for all workers at the Baptist church at 2:30 next Sunday.

**The Christian Church.**

There is something unspeakably beautiful and helpful in the thought and purpose of "Mothers' Day." Let the tender memories and inspirations which this day brings, guide your feet to the church next Sunday. We want the sermon and singing and decorations and your faces, all to speak of Mother. Let us make it a day to remember.

At night Mr. Burton will give a sermon-lecture to "The Unwilling Doubt-re." He will have occasion to speak of the hand of God in Egypt. He will tell of his visit with a native Jew to the "Wailing Place" by the temple walls at Jerusalem and of the black Jews of Abyssinia. Sunday school at 10; preaching at 11 and 8. B. B. Burton, Pastor.

**Methodist Episcopal Church.**

Those who so much enjoyed our Easter service and our sacred concert will be glad to hear our Mothers' Day treat next Sunday night, consisting of a beautiful anthem by the choir, solos by Mr. Emmel, Mr. Pratt and by a number of the young ladies, a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, besides other interesting exercises. There will be Sunday school and Mothers' Day sermon in the morning, all being invited.

**Notice to Stockholders.**

Notice is hereby given to the subscribers of stock in the Farmers Grain Elevator, Company of Athena, Oregon, that a meeting of the subscribers of stock in said company is to be held at the office of said Elevator at Athena, Oregon, June 9, 1919, at 3 p. m. of said date for the purpose of fixing the number of directors in said corporation—to be less than three—and for the purpose of electing said directors.

F. A. Berlin,  
A. R. Coppock,  
Cass Cannon,  
M. Melville Johns,  
William Reed,  
Incorporators.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, May 9, 1919.

**Notice to Creditors.**

In the County Court for Umatilla County, Oregon  
In the Matter of the Estate of John S. Harris, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of

John S. Harris, deceased, by the above entitled Court. All persons having claims against the above entitled estate should present them to me at Athena, Oregon, or to my attorney, Homer I. Watts, at his office in Athena, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice; said claims to be verified as by law required.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 18th day of April, 1919.  
Henry A. Barrett, Executor.

**Notice to Creditors.**

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Fannie O. Myrick, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons whom it may concern that Olive Lee has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Fannie O. Myrick, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against her estate are required to present them with proper vouchers to the said administratrix at the law office of Will M. Peterson, in the Smith-Crawford Building at Pendleton, Oregon, within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice which is made on the 2nd day of May 1919.

Olive Lee, Administratrix.  
Will M. Peterson,  
Attorney for Administratrix.

**Notice of Final Account.**

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County.

In the matter of the estate of Lucinda Hiteman, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account and report in the above entitled court has fixed Saturday, May 31, 1919, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day as the time and the county court room in the county court house at Pendleton, Oregon, as the place for hearing said account and report.

Any and all objections to said final account and report should be filed in the above entitled matter on or before said date.

HENRY DELL,  
Administrator.

**Notice of Final Account.**

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County.

In the matter of the estate of Mary LaFave, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed her final account and report in the above entitled matter and that the above entitled court has fixed Saturday, May 31, 1919, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day as the time and the county court room in the county court house at Pendleton, Oregon, as the place for hearing said account and report.

Any and all objections to said final account and report should be filed in the above entitled matter on or before said date.

CARRIE D. BERGJEVIN,  
Administratrix With the Will Annexed.



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