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Charles Gerking has lately had good luck in hunting on Grapewood. During the past week he has bagged several nice mallards.

Apples for sale—extra good culls, good keepers, any amount; 1/4-mile east of Cobb station on the Interurban. B. F. Haley, Freewater, Or.

A meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Desper next Wednesday afternoon, December 10. All members are requested to attend.

Lodge, K. of P., of Weston will have a winter supper after conferring dates. A number of lights were in attendance.

A delightful one o'clock luncheon was served by Mrs. Ralph McEwen at her home yesterday in honor of Mrs. Alberta McMurry of Eugene, grand worthy matron of the Eastern Star. Those participating were: Mrs. McMurry, Mrs. M. L. Watts, Mrs. F. B. Boyd, Mrs. W. S. Ferguson, Mrs. H. A. Barrett and the hostess. After the luncheon, Mrs. McMurry was taken to Helix to meet with the chapter there, by Mr. and Mrs. McEwen and Mrs. Watts.

Receipts from the library ball last week, after all expenses were paid, amounted to \$59.16—a very satisfactory sum considering the heavy expense. Fletcher's Jazz orchestra furnished the music for the occasion. The funds will be used for purchasing new books, both adult and juvenile, for the home library. Some new books and magazines have already been ordered, and a list will be published later.

John Haworth was successful in killing the dog which made a raid on the Henry Barrett corral last week and killed 25 head of sheep. The dog was a stray and hid in daytime in the ryegrass adjacent to the corral. All dogs hereafter visiting the Barrett ranch above town will have protection from John's gun only by wearing a muzzle.

Mrs. C. L. Woodward and little daughter will leave soon for an extended trip. They will visit first in Arkansas and will then go to the southern states, taking in Palm Beach, Florida, and will return by way of California, taking about two months for the trip.

Ed Forrest has moved to Walla Walla to reside, and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Estes are occupying the residence on Third and Adams street vacated by them.

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Many attractive and useful articles on display at this store that will make gift buying a pleasure. What would be more appreciated than one of those all-wool Chase auto robes? We have them from \$8.75 to \$18.50.

Universal Percolators packed in Holiday boxes make an ideal gift for mother or wife. Also we are showing a large assortment of Pyrex Casseroles. Nine different patterns to select from—priced from \$4.00 to \$6.50.

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The High school took the Standard Courts "13" test Monday morning without a winner. Thelma Kretzer and Enid Cartano made best records with credits of 28 correct answers in three minutes.

The present line-up for the first team in basket ball is: Robert Kopriva and Herman Geissel, forwards; Leon Kretzer, center; Claud Snider and Dorvan Phillips, guards.

Joyce Johnston, who recently arrived with her parents from Metolius, Oregon, is a new student in the High school.

As announced in Miss Nason's report at the institute last week, Ana Arbogast of the sixth grade in the Athena school bears the distinction of being the first and only school student in Umatilla county to be granted the Home Reading certificate by the county librarian. In order to be entitled to receive this certificate, ten books must be read and a written report made on each book.

Leroy Johnston is a new student, having enrolled in the eighth grade. His brother, Ray, is in the fifth grade.

A Christmas program is in course of preparation to be given on the afternoon of Wednesday, Christmas Eve, in the school auditorium. All the grades, from first to eighth, will participate.

Honor roll, third and fourth grades—Mary Berlin, Hollis Dennis, Chester Dugger, Gertrude Eaton, Arota Kirk, Edwin McEwen, Loraine McLouth, Oral Michener, Elver Miller, Emma Ringel, Maxine Thompson, Merritt Cook, Dorothy Geissel, Helen Hansell, George Pambrun, Kathleen Radtke, Thena Russell, Doris Schubert, Marie Thompson, Annie Messenger.

With the enrollment of Geneva Staggs in the third grade this week, the enrollment of the third and fourth grade room reaches 45.

Great interest in the better health movement is being taken by the pupils of the lower grades. Captains of divisions are appointed in the different rooms, and it is the office of these captains to maintain strict observance of health and cleanliness rules. It is gratifying to note the earnestness with which the leaders enforce the rules, and the improvement in personal appearance of the little folks. The move is the direct result of the recent visit of the county health nurse to the schools, and will doubtless bear good results.

With the enrollment of Glen Barton into the first grade this week, the enrollment of the primary room has been raised to 38.

Leonore Reeder and Beryl Taylor were operated on last week for the removal of adenoids and tonsils, but are not yet well enough to return to school.

A game of basket ball between the respective teams of Athena and Helix high schools is announced for Friday evening, December 12, in the local court.

Isaac Davidson transacted business in Pendleton yesterday.

## Athena Garage

**ZERBA BROS.**  
Props.

We are particular in every detail in Automobile repairing at our Garage. Expert attention always.

We are equipped for  
**Oxy-Acetylene**  
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The biggest and finest assortment of Toys and Holiday Novelties ever exhibited in Athena. Make your selection out of the stock that is drawing trade to town.

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That is our long suit. We have lots of them, and our prices are the best. We bought them early, so that enables us to give you the best possible prices on all toys.

Dolls at all prices, dishes, wagons and all kinds of mechanical toys, the kind that make the boys very happy. Have you seen our carpenter sets? We have only a few left. Machine gun just like the large ones, and it is one of the most instructive toys on the market today.

If you haven't paid our toy town a visit now is the time to do it, for all are going fast. Don't be the one that is going to be late to get a choice of this complete line of toys and gifts.

**NOTICE.**

Listen! The dog ordinance requiring dogs to be licensed will be strictly enforced from and after the date of this notice. Call at the recorder's office and pay the license fee on the dog or dogs you expect to keep. Dogs not bearing the tag will be disposed of according to law.

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Dated at Athena, Oregon, December 5, 1919.

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