

Press Paragraphs

Joe Key was in from Weston, Monday.

Billy Bush was a Pendleton visitor Wednesday.

Hamp Booher of Weston, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Carrie Rogers was up from Pendleton, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ivan O'Hara was in from Weston shopping, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Merritt spent Monday evening in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McIntyre were Walla Walla visitors, Monday.

Mrs. Akin was a guest over the week end of her mother in Milton.

Mrs. C. Christian and Mrs. Larabee of Adams, were in Athens, Wednesday.

Athens grocers are offering choice seed potatoes of different early varieties.

Mrs. C. H. Smith will be hostess to the Star club next Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Worthington were in the city from Pendleton, Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Russell, who has been seriously ill the past two weeks, is recovering.

Miss Wilma Stiff spent the week-end in Walla Walla, as a guest of friends.

Mrs. S. F. Sharp and Mrs. W. W. McPherson, were visitors in Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Downing of Freewater were in Athens on business, Monday.

Mrs. F. S. LeGrow left Saturday for a couple of weeks visit with her mother and sister in Seattle.

Cradle roll day will be observed at the Christian church Sunday at the Sunday school hour.

Snow and rain yesterday interfered with farm operations and stopped plowing in this vicinity.

C. F. Shoonmaker, real estate agent of LaCrosse, Wash., transacted business in Athens this week.

The ladies of the Baptist church held a successful sale at the Pure Food Grocery, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. E. Dobson returned Sunday from Portland where she was called by the death of her husband.

Mrs. Minnie Depaeth has returned to her home here from Walla Walla, where she was ill at the home of her daughter.

Mrs. Charles H. DeHaas leaves this evening for Cove, Union county, to

spend the week-end with relatives and friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Best of Milton, March 17, 1922, a daughter, Mrs. Best was formerly Nina Tharp of Athens.

Mrs. D. T. Stone sang yesterday afternoon at a club meeting in Pendleton. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. O. O. Stephens.

A good time is in store for all who attend the American Legion dance at Legion Hall tonight. Salling's orchestra will furnish the music.

P. A. Smith an experienced horse-shoer is working at the Frank Bolin blacksmith shop. He is prepared to give satisfaction in his line of work.

Mrs. George B. Woodward, who recently underwent a surgical operation in Pendleton, is recovering from the operation and also from an attack of influenza.

The Standard Theatre has booked "The Sage Hen" for Sunday, April 2. A great picture, starring Gladys Brockwell, Lillian Rich and Wallace MacDonald.

Wm. Booher who recently returned from Hot Lake, Union county, where he took treatment for rheumatism, was on the streets Monday. He is improving in health.

Art Jensen has returned from his winter's visit to relatives in Norway. The difference between the old country and the good old U. S., is that Art prefers to live here.

Mrs. S. F. Sharp was in Pendleton Saturday, accompanying her daughter, Mrs. J. A. McSherry, who after a six-weeks visit, was returning to her home in Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles May, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould and Mrs. Frank King of Weston, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones, in Athens, one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson, Misses Thelma and Katherine Thompson, Philo Rounds and Nat Kimball, of Pendleton, attended the party at the opera house Friday evening.

A number of farmers in this section have found it necessary to reseed portions of their fields, due to the grain freezing out during the excessive cold weather of the winter months.

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Watts visited in Helix Wednesday, where Mrs. Watts made arrangements for the rendering of the comic operetta, "Yokohama Maid," on Monday night, April 3rd.

The Etude club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. B. Boyd. "The Passion Play," was the subject for the day, with Mrs. H. H. Hill leading the program. Mrs. Hill gave

an instructive and entertaining description of the play and its history.

Mrs. C. M. Eager gave a reading. Roll call was answered with quotations concerning music, from the Bible. Mrs. F. D. Watts and Mrs. Charles Dudley served a one course luncheon.

Mrs. Carl Gensel of Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cornwell, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Ingram, of Walla Walla, Dr. J. W. Ingram and wife, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Proudfoot, Sunday.

The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal church Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Isaac Davidson last Wednesday. Twenty-one members were present, and the hostess served refreshments.

During the past week country roads have been worked to considerable extent. The high water of the winter months were disastrous to the county road system, and a large amount of work will be necessary to put them in condition for travel.

On next Wednesday evening the Athena High school will present the classical picture "Julius Caesar," in six reels at the Standard Theatre. Two others have been presented by the school, but the Wednesday night feature is reputed to be the best of the series. In addition to the picture a short program will be given by the students.

Tuesday at the regular meeting, of the Civic club. Mrs. Van Deusen, county demonstrator, lectured to the ladies on home economics, and demonstrated the art of millinery. Roll call was answered with current events, and Mrs. Robert Proudfoot and Mrs. George Lattin, were hostesses, serving a delicious luncheon. Mrs. Van Deusen also assisted the ladies of this vicinity in making hats, Wednesday and Thursday. The next meeting Mrs. W. S. Ferguson will be leader of the program with "Athens the beautiful," as the subject.

One of the prettiest parties of the series in which Mrs. F. D. Watts has been honored, in view of her coming departure from the city, was that given last Friday afternoon by Mrs. J. F. Herr and Mrs. Louis Stewart, at the Herr home. Mrs. J. H. Herr, who with her husband and little son, is visiting here from Portland, was a guest of honor jointly with Mrs. Watts. Strings of shamrock leaves festooned the rooms, and potted plants of the living Irish emblem were used in decoration. Needlework occupied the beginning of the afternoon, and brain puzzlers and tests in skill caused diversion. Later, the guests, numbering thirty, surrounded prettily appointed tables, centered with green candles and flowers, where the hostesses served a delightful three course luncheon.

be laid out over by the Standard Oil plant. The grades however will use the old grounds when the weather permits.

The last number of the senior entertainments, "Julius Caesar" will be given at the Standard Theatre Wednesday, March 29. The picture promises to be a very educational and enjoyable film. The high school quartet will also make its first appearance at this time. Admission will be 10, 25 and 35 cents.

Rev. Bollen of Walla Walla was selected to give the commencement address. Rev. Bollen gave the baccalaureate sermon last year and is a good speaker.

Last Saturday evening, March 18 the seventh grade held a party in the Science room, at the high school. Members of the faculty as well as the mothers of the many children were present.

Games were played on the gym floor. Ronald Kretzer and Beulah Bannister refereeing the games.

Refreshments consisting of cake, salads, sandwiches and cocoa were served. All the children reported a splendid time.

Tonight, March 24th, the eighth grade will hold a party.

A committee consisting of the Supt. of the schools, the coach and the president of the "Order of the A" will meet in the near future and decide who will receive A's for participation in athletics.

24 Years Ago

Rev. W. T. Koontz, a pioneer minister of the M. E. church, well known and highly respected all over Oregon and the state of Washington, died at the M. E. church parsonage in this city, Tuesday, March 22, 1898, aged 65 years.

Mrs. Dr. S. F. Sharp and Miss Leola Young visited friends in Pendleton, Monday, returning Tuesday.

L. S. Wood, editor of the Weston Leader, was in the city Wednesday. The Press acknowledges a call.

Mrs. G. C. Osburn entertained a small number of ladies at her home Saturday afternoon. A pleasant function was reported.

A nine-pound son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Thompson yesterday morning, March 24. Dr. Smith has grave apprehensions as to J. V., but we have the consolation of knowing that he is getting along alright, for he toted three fine cigars up to the Press office yesterday to keep the boys quiet.

It has been a noticeable fact that wind storms have been more frequent this season than for years past. The velocity of the winds seem also to have increased. We hear of outbuildings being blown down and headers beds have been lifted into the air and dashed to pieces.

Dr. J. M. Boyd was over from Walla Walla Sunday on professional business. The doctor is again permanently located in Walla Walla after an absence of some years.

Mrs. Frank Mansfield returned home Wednesday from the hospital in Walla Walla, greatly improved in health.

John Clary was over from Walla Walla Wednesday, shaking hands with Athens friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith attended a meeting of Bushee Chapter, order of the Eastern Star, in Pendleton, Wednesday evening.

Increase in trade has made a brisk demand for hats and millinery goods at Mrs. Carden's. Another stock of new hats will arrive in a few days.

Asa McDaniel has a house-moving outfit employed at his Wild Horse farm. He will move his residence a half-mile from its present location, and also other ranch buildings.

W. G. Estes has returned to Athens after an absence of three months in Kansas City and Memphis. He finds times much better here than either in Missouri or Tennessee.

The report comes from Camas Prairie that a young man named Howard Brooks was crippled for life as the result of an accident while hunting.

A shotgun in the hands of a companion exploded accidentally and the contents entered both his legs, lacerating one of them in a fearful manner so that amputation will be necessary.

Mr. F. J. Jackson and Miss Eva Laiken were united in marriage at 11 o'clock Tuesday forenoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sheer, in Pendleton, by Rev. G. W. Kirby, of this city. Both bride and groom have numerous friends to wish that the best blessings of life may attend them. Mr. Jackson is a successful farmer near Athens, and at his place the happy couple will reside.

Monday morning a fire alarm brought the department to the "Blue Front" saloon building, on Main street, where was found a small blaze beneath the roof. The flames were put out before much damage was done, by the chemical fire extinguisher and a well directed stream from the hydrant in front of Hollis' store.



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High School Notes

Last Friday a photographer visited the school and took pictures of the grades, faculty, high school and the basket ball team. All who bought the pictures were well pleased with them.

Mrs. Hodgen visited the 5th and 6th grades, Wednesday.

Carolyn and Kathryn Kidder have moved to Pendleton where they will attend school. They were in the 4th and 5th grades.

Athens high school has made a contract for a baseball game on the home grounds April 28th and the return game at Milton on May 6th. Both games should be interesting as were the Milton games last year.

The election of officers for the Order of the A, a part of the athletic organization was called Wednesday. Officers were elected as follows: John Pinkerton, president; Kohler Betts, vice president; Beulah Banister, secretary.

The Juniors are giving a cooked food sale at Watts & Rogers', Saturday. Dressed chicken, home made bread, pies and cakes.

Due to the fact that the old ball grounds are so washed out and muddy that practice will be impossible for two or three weeks, the diamond will

The Churches

Baptist Church
Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m.
Subject: "God was Best for Us."
Evening service: 7:30 p. m.
Subject: "Ku Klux Klan in Action."

or
Klansmen Beware
Midweek service, Wednesday evening, 7:30.
E. B. Johnson, Pastor.

Methodist Services
Sunday School 10 A. M. Preaching 11 A. M. Preaching 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited to attend these services.
C. L. Lowther, Pastor.

YOUR TEETH
Should be looked after now. Dr. A. C. Froom, at the St. Nicholas' hotel, will be leaving Athens May 1. See that they are O. K. before he goes. You can save your teeth, time and money.

Nothing is heard in Athens relative to a team to represent the home town on the diamond this summer. Pendleton, Hermiston, and Milton-Freewater are grooming up and are endeavoring to effect a league with Walla Walla, Dayton and a third Washington town. Nothing has been heard from Helix or Pilot Rock.

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