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ALL HEAT RECORDS IN OREGON ARE SHATTERED

Heat records tumbled as the mercury ascended in Oregon thermometers Saturday. Four heat prostrations occurred in Salem when the city experienced the hottest day in its history with 107 degrees. Incidentally an employe of the Southern Pacific railroad received a Christmas card mailed December 22, last year. A number of business offices were closed.

Eugene, with 104, also sweltered under the highest temperatures old times and weather observers could remember.

Medford turned in a reading of 106, with relief in the form of thunder showers late in the day.

Portland had the warmest weather in the 52 years the weather bureau has made observations. At 4 o'clock the glass read 104.5, just 2.4 degrees above the previous high level.

In Athena it was hot, too, but the conservative thermometers held at 102. Walla Walla sweltered at 107, and Pendleton reported 106.

GRAND JURY INDICTS
The grand jury in special session

Saturday, indicted Jim Mayes, confessed Echo bank robber, on two bills, one of which charges him with assault with intent to commit robbery and the other with larceny. Mayes is being held in The Dalles jail pending arraignment in court. Edward Cooper was indicted for horsestealing, and William Thompson for larceny. Both entered pleas of guilty in court after indictment. Cooper was sentenced to two years and Thompson three years.

WE HAND YOU A LEMON
Mrs. Lucien Gagnon has received from her daughter, Mrs. George Roller, of Baldwin Park, California, six lemons totaling in weight four pounds. The largest measures 10x13 inches and is perfect in symmetrical shape. Mr. and Mrs. Roller enjoy life on a three-acre farm, where they have a bungalow home, oceans of flowers, 26 different varieties of fruits and nuts, and 7,000 chickens. Last week they sold 2,000 fry.

MILTON BONDS
An election at Milton to determine whether or not the city shall issue bonds to purchase a new Diesel engine for the city light and power plant, carried by a vote of 96 in favor and 63 opposed. A total of 159 votes were cast.

BOOZE CAUSE OF WRECK

Hi Stevens of Pendleton who was driving a car on the highway near Blue Mountain station ran into the truck driven by I. Taylor of Milton, badly wrecking the truck and injuring the companion of Stevens. Stevens was arrested for driving while intoxicated to which he pleaded guilty and Justice Scott of Milton, assessed him \$120 and 60 days in jail. When the officers went back to look over the scene of the accident they found four 20 dollar bills scattered about and also a bottle of booze in the wrecked car.

SOME 50-BUSHEL WHEAT

Eighty acres threshed by the E. A. Dudley machine on the St. Dennis place, south of Athena, has averaged 50 bushels per acre, and the balance of the field is estimated at the same yield. Charles Kirk's big field east of town is said to be averaging around 50 bushels. Other good yielding fields are in evidence, including Watts Brothers and Marion Hansell, on which estimates have not been made. The general average yield of Federation is in this district seems to be running from 40 to 45 bushels per acre.

BUILDS WAREHOUSE

M. G. Bentley is rushing to completion a new warehouse which will be 33 feet by 70, with porches on three sides. The new building, says the Freewater Times, is located on the Bentley tracts near Crockett station, where last year a siding was put in leading to the traction company's main line.

CLASSIFIED

Loganberries at Reed & Hawley mountain with the fine keeping and fine flavor of which our mountain is noted in all small fruits. Come and pick them yourself, bring the crates and get them for \$1.00 per crate. F. Heath, Weston.

Piano to be sold at Athena—Rare bargain in high grade piano to be disposed of at once. Terms \$10 monthly. If interested in particulars write Cline Piano company, 66 Front Street, Portland, Oregon.

Piano Bargain—The case of this piano was marred in shipment. Will sell at big discount. Can be bought on Monthly payments. Penland Brothers Transfer Company, Pendleton, Oregon.

For Sale—Work horses and mules. Ralph Dowd, Weston, phone 14F14.
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22 Years Ago

July 15, 1904

-Mrs. J. A. Baddeley, wife of the prominent Weston farmer and horseman, died Wednesday at 5 p. m., at the farm residence near Weston, after a brief illness, with blood poisoning.

The work of grading Third and Fourth streets for a distance of three blocks, from Main to College streets has been finished, and crushed rock has been used in filling in around the O. R. & N. depot. Athena now has three of the best streets of any town in the state out side of Portland. The city is to be congratulated on having finished the work before the heavy wheat hauling begins.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hodgen July 16, a son.

Miss Anna Kirk has returned from Chicago, where she has been in a school of pharmacy for the past two years and is now with her mother and sister at LaGrande.

Jesse W. Smith is expected home this week from his Snake river mines. Some big washouts are reported from the recent cloudbursts in the Imnaha district, in Mr. Smith's vicinity.

John Foss was taken severely ill at his home in Moro last week, having been overcome by the heat while at work in his blacksmith shop. At latest reports he was pronounced out of danger.

During the electric storm which visited this region Monday evening, Dave Lavender, the city marshal at Weston, was standing near a telephone pole in that city when he received a severe electric shock, receiving at the same a burn extending down the side of his face and neck. Moving down the street, he was standing near a tree when the elements again showed their displeasure by leveling it to the ground. It is said that Weston's tall marshal then hiked for home.

Deputy United States Marshal Proebstel was up from Portland and spent Sunday with Athena friends.

Another heavy fall of rain visited this section of the county early this morning and soaked the ground thoroughly.

Tuesday a 3-year-old boy of Louis Bergvin fell and broke his leg. Dr. Sharp was called and reduced the fracture.

Charles King yesterday moved his family from Weston to this city. They are occupying a cottage on Jefferson street.

July 19, 1904

To Athena probably belongs the honor of making the first shipment of Umatilla county wheat to New York City. David Taylor has a force of men at work on a 10,000 bushel shipment to the eastern metropolis. It is being shipped in bulk and is forwarded on order of Balfour, Guthrie & company, to Nye, Jenks & company, of New York City, via Chicago.

Sunday was Grandma Stone's 79th birthday and her children and grandchildren took advantage of the occasion and held a family reunion. Forty persons were present, but three of whom not being members of the family. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Stone, of Salem; E. H. Stone and family, J. N. Stone and family, of Milton; Mrs. G. W. Tittsworth and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Woodward, Mrs. R. L. Maloney and family, Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Stone, Miss Eva Woodward, Miss Baughman and Miss Francis Burnham.

Mrs. B. F. King, beloved wife of Rev. B. F. King, after long suffering from cancer, passed to rest at 9:30 Sunday night, July 17th, at the family home in this city, aged 71 years, surrounded by her devoted husband and children.

R. K. Brady returned to Athena Friday from an extended stay in Seattle, where he has been employed.

Rock is being hauled to the site of the new fraternal hall to be used in the construction of the foundation.

Uncle John Callender, J. C. Stampfer and Fred Page leave tomorrow on a recreation trip to Hidaway Springs and other points of the compass.

Miss Eva McDonald is over from Walla Walla, at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Dudley. Miss McDonald's many friends welcome her back, as they feel that she really belongs more to Athena than Walla Walla, anyway.

The Athena fisherman returned Saturday from the Grand Ronde river loaded down with mountain trout and a voluptuous hirsute growth. The boys had a good time and a number of Athena friends can attest to their prowess as anglers.

Some new wheat fields are ready to harvest this week, but it will be the middle of next week before harvest is on in the Umatilla wheat belt. Harvest hands are going to be plentiful this year.

John Duffy's raspberries have lost none of their flavor. He has the finest berries raised in this neck of the woods, where grow the very best.

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MARTIN WHEAT FIELD FIRE DESTROYS GRAIN

Fire destroyed threshed and standing grain on the Mrs. Frank Martin place, south of Athena, Wednesday afternoon, despite the efforts of a large force of men, who fought the flames.

The fire started near the combine which was operating in the Parr field, west of the Martin place. A strong wind soon spread the flames into the Martin grain, and it burned rapidly east almost down to the farm house and buildings which were in the direct path of the fire, but the buildings were saved from destruction.

The loss, which has not been adjusted is covered with insurance. In a short time after the fire started a number of men were on hand to fight it.

MANY FOREST FIRES

The tinder dry forests of Washington, Idaho and Montana, are dotted with many roaring forest fires, which in many sections have been fanned by high winds until the crackling walls of flame cover thousands of acres, while battalions of men fruitlessly, with shovel, ax and hose battle to stem the fiery torrent.

MILTON EAGLE SOLD

The Milton Eagle one of the oldest newspapers in Eastern Oregon, has been sold by Twilford and Kingford former owners, to F. J. Wheeler, of Walla Walla. Mr. Wheeler plans to take charge of the paper next week. Mr. Wheeler has been connected with the Walla Walla Union during the past year.

PARTIAL ECLIPSE

A few persons in Athena viewed the partial eclipse of the sun through smoked glass, about four o'clock, Friday afternoon. The eclipse was noticeable from 3:25 to 5:20.



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Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$ 576,627.16	Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....	None	Surplus.....	60,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....	57,000.00	Undivided Profits.....	17,710.95
Bonds, Securities, Etc.....	7,144.15	National Currency.....	12,500.00
Banking House.....	6,400.00	Rediscounts, Bills Payable	None
Cash and Exchange.....	227,304.97	Deposits.....	734,266.23
	\$ 874,476.28		\$ 874,476.28

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