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Mel Carden last week put in new music racks in the band room.

Burt Kirby, of Adams assisted the Athena Band on its Weston engagement yesterday.

Should the weather prove favorable tomorrow, a large number of people will be in Athena to participate in memorial day exercises. Many people from the surrounding country are expected to be present. The people of Adams will be up, accompanied by their band, and the Weston G. A. R. Post headed by the Weston cornet band, will take part in the day.

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## Body of Oregon Man On Way TO Portland

### Earl Kilpatrick Will Rest in His Home State is Decision.

The Portland Journal says that friends are preparing for the sad reception of the body of Earl Kilpatrick, "most brilliant graduate of the University of Oregon," who was killed in an airplane accident near Donaldsville, Louisiana, late Memorial day, while about his work as assistant director of disaster relief work in the Mississippi flood area.

Mrs. Kilpatrick, called on the long distance telephone at St. Louis, Missouri, at midnight, told Alfred Powers, dean of the U. of O. extension school, that she and her four small children would come to Portland with the body of her husband, leaving St. Louis Friday.

Dean Powers said Tuesday that Mrs. Kilpatrick apparently had been unable to get all the details of the accident.

"All Northwest, and now much of the Middle West, knows Earl Kilpatrick," said Powers. "He was graduated from the university when 19 years old, in 1909, and there is in my mind no doubt but what he was the most brilliant alumnus of that institution.

"He held many important positions while still a mere boy. His intelligence forced people to accept him as more than his age."

He will be buried in a Portland cemetery, beside his mother, who died recently.

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## Press Paragraphs

Frank Beale of La Grande, Mrs. D. H. Mansfield and Mr. and Mrs. Nat Kimball of Pendleton spent Sunday and Monday in Athena, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Logsdon.

Mr. Bomboy of Pendleton and A. E. Shick of Athena motored to Yakima last Thursday and attended the Funeral Directors Association convention which was held there Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Claude Snider of Weston, former Athena high school student, has a position in the government patent office at Washington, D. C. His wife came from Seattle to Weston for a brief visit, after which she left for Washington.

Mrs. Bern Banister is seriously afflicted with blood poisoning, and is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Geissel, at Freewater. Mrs. Banister suffered a scratch on her hand, which developed the attack of blood poison.

Mrs. Glenn Dudley is participating in the state golf tournament at Portland, this week. Mrs. Dudley entered the tournament under the Oswego banner, paired with Mrs. S. B. Hoskin, of Columbia. Mrs. Dudley holds the woman's championship.

Ronald Kretzer has been appointed chairman of the music committee at University of Oregon. The music committee is one of nine sub-committees appointed by the new and retiring presidents of the University to assist the executive council.

E. A. Dudley is building a cabin at Bingham Springs, where the family will reside a part of the time during the summer. W. M. Peterson has also built a cabin there, and M. L. Watts has secured a lot adjoining, with the view to building.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kidder and daughter Elva of Gibbon and Mrs. F. L. Pittman of Athena spent the week end in Portland. They visited W. W. Harrah who is in the Good Samaritan hospital and state he is getting along nicely and that he may be home in a couple of weeks.

Miss Genevieve Rogers came up from Portland and spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rogers. Miss Rogers resides at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Watts in Portland where she has a lucrative position in the offices of Dunn & Bradstreet.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hadley and son Roland left Athena this week for Portland, where they will remain for the summer. Mr. Hadley has several



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