



A weekly summary of events of interest to Kettle Falls and the Upper Columbia River Valley, the garden spot of the northwest.

**Kettle Falls News**

Weather report for September: Mean maximum 79.6, mean minimum 43.7, mean 61.6. Maximum 95 on the 12th, minimum 34 on the 8th and 29th. Rainfall .82 inch. Clear days 20, partly cloudy 8, cloudy 2.—P. F. Schroeder, cooperative observer.

Mrs. Anna M. Livermore, who has been in Minneapolis for over a year, returned to Kettle Falls last Friday, and is at the home of her niece Mrs. Frank Llewellyn.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Wheeler spent last week-end in Spokane, returning Sunday.

Ernest Geise was in Spokane several days this week.

Dwight Smith, who had been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith for the past two weeks, returned to Newport Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Smith made the trip in the aeroplane in Colville last Friday. She reports the sensation of her experience as "grand."

Word was received by relatives last Friday of the death of Mrs. Camerer at St. Luke's hospital. She was a former resident of Kettle Falls and the mother of Mrs. G. E. Fish.

Mrs. M. M. Fish returned from Chewelah Wednesday.

Mrs. J. M. Williams entertained the Twentieth Century club of Colville at a bridge luncheon Tuesday. Mrs. J. B. Robertson won the guest prize and Mrs. Stotts and Mrs. Frank Goetter the club prizes.

Mrs. Archer R. Squire entertained the Masons Widows Wednesday evening. Mrs. J. C. Wilson won first prize and Mrs. C. R. Fish second. A two-course luncheon was served.

Miss Mildred Fish entertained at six o'clock dinner Thursday evening in honor of her birthday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephenson of Meyers Falls, Mrs. Mary M. Fish, Alice Sawers, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Fish.

The newest, up-to-the-minute hats, are on display at Mrs. Karen Fogh's and she will appreciate a call from you.

**MONEY TO LOAN**

On improved farms, from 5 to 20 years, 6 to 7% interest. Loans can be paid off in sums of \$100 or multiples of \$100.

**ARCHER R. SQUIRE, Kettle Falls**

GLASSES FITTED

Dr. Luxmore, eyesight specialist, 340 Riverside, will be at the Kettle Falls Hotel, Oct. 6-7, Friday and Saturday.

Marcus, Hotel Columbia, Monday, Oct. 9.

Daisy Hotel, Wednesday, Oct. 11.

Gifford Hotel, Thursday, Oct. 12.

Hunters Hotel, Saturday, Oct. 14.

**Hunters Happenings**

Things that are doing in our hunting sister city. Reported by our special correspondent.

Mrs. Inez Nickens and baby, who have been visiting with her sister Mrs. Ruth Scheele, left for Davenport last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alyea, who have been working in the apple harvest, have moved their camp down near the packing house.

Fred Markham has sold his flock of sheep. He helped take them out last Wednesday.

Mr. Shipley, who was here during the first part of the apple harvest, went to Spokane last Friday, returning with his wife and children.

Miss L. Howe was called to Spokane because of the illness of her sister. Miss M. Baker is taking her place in the hotel.

Chas. White made a business trip to Spokane this week. E. Chapman and Ed. House are taking care of the store during his absence.

Two of the big apple trucks tipped over last Monday. They each had a load of from 200 to 210 boxes of apples.

The Hunters Land Co. have better apples this year than ever before. They are packing from 56 to 198 to the box.

Mr. Irish had a sale last Saturday and is leaving this week for the coast.

Miss Hill and Miss Bailey have bought the moving picture machine and will continue the show this winter.

**Meyers Falls Chronicle**

Reporting the events about town

Two weeks ago the Wm. Ledgerwood family had as their guest Mr. Ledgerwood's mother and sister from Pomeroy.

Cappie Howell is on the sick list.

Mrs. Harry Norton had the Meyers Falls Community Ladies' Aid for a work meeting Thursday of last week. The Aid will meet with Mrs. Joel McDermid for a social meeting Thursday of next week.

The members of the Aid gave a party for Mrs. Ray Zapel at the home of her mother Mrs. A. W. Smith last Tuesday. The evening was spent in games and music. Mrs. Zapel was presented with a towel as a remembrance of the Aid. Late in the evening dainty refreshments were served. Mrs. Zapel and children departed Thursday for Palisade. Mrs. Stanley Smith of Marcus accompanied Mrs. Zapel to help her during the journey. Her many friends were sorry to see her leave, but wish her much happiness in her new home.

Mrs. Frank Smith and little daughter Esline were over night visitors Friday with Mrs. C. H. Gerking.

Mrs. Frank Smith and daughter were dinner guests of Mrs. Harry Norton Saturday.

Eli Ensor has a new Ford. They celebrated by taking their friends to church at Kettle Falls on Sunday.

A very pretty shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Shanks for Mrs. Edwin Shanks, nee Esther Leslie, on Saturday. The gifts were many and much merriment was had at Ed's expense when the presents were opened, for it was his job to help and name each article.

**Marcus Happenings**

Reporting the Events of this Thriving Town

Mrs. Floyd Dobson of Ferry county was the guest of Mrs. Milo Brittain this week.

Arnold Anderson and Miss Anna Tye of Kettle Falls spent Sunday at

the gorge in Kettle river and spent a few hours at the home of Mrs. M. C. Smith.

Mrs. Peckham was on the sick list for a few days, but is better at this writing.

Our community was well represented at the Colville fair last week.

Mr. Fretwell is remodeling his house in West Marcus.

E. S. Moore made a business trip to Spokane on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Lind have returned home after an absence of several weeks.

Mrs. Max Ogden has recovered from her recent illness enough that she has returned to her home at Kelly Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Feltman of Portland have returned to their home after spending a few days with the A. Wurzburg family.

L. Dannheiser and family of Colville were guests at the A. Wurzburg home.

Mrs. Bernice Stradley of Okanogan is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Kennedy this week.

The Pythian Sisters have resumed their meetings after the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morgan have returned from a visit to Spokane.

Mrs. Sarah Holston of Spokane is visiting at the home of her son E. A. Holston and family.

**The News of Greenwood**

The fair was well attended from this vicinity. Many of our friends succeeded in winning prizes.

Mrs. E. A. Leithead returned Saturday from a 4-weeks visiting and sight seeing trip to Spokane, Centralia and Portland.

Miss Elsie Nelson spent last week in Colville assisting with the work at Hotel Colville.

J. W. Reynolds is enjoying a visit with a brother and his wife from New York.

E. R. Lynn and wife and son Dean motored to Spokane Sunday, returning Monday. They report the roads fine with the exception of two short detours.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mark and daughter Frances, Mrs. J. B. Miller and Mrs. Gardner of Meyers Falls were callers at the S. H. Bender home Thursday evening.

Selah Look of Okanogan was a caller at the Cassell home Sunday.

Miss Daisy Cassell and Mrs. Burris of Colville spent Sunday at the Cassell home.

We are sorry to report J. C. Lynn on the sick list this week.

J. W. Brown is helping J. Cagle.

L. L. Harlow is building an addition to his barn.

E. R. Lynn is constructing a dam across the creek to make a mill pond at his saw mill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gordon accompanied Mrs. Gordon's brother and wife, who have been visiting here, to Spokane Wednesday.

Although Wednesday was a stormy day, quite a number of ladies attended the club meeting at Mrs. Cassell's. The next meeting will be October 18 with Mrs. R. E. Walston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller were guests at the S. H. Bender home Sunday.

**West Side, Addy**

Marzella Toepel, Representative

W. E. Russell of Seattle visited with his brother Frank and family Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Shannan and sons from Cerdonia are visiting at the J. W. Ward home this week.

The deer hunters were out bright and early around here Sunday morning, the opening of the season, but no results are reported to date.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Klein and daughter Marie and L. J. Toepel of Spokane visited at the A. S. Toepel home Sunday.

West Side school was closed Friday and nearly all the children took advantage of the opportunity to see the Colville fair.

Louis Hoegerl went to Spokane Tuesday on business.

**COLVILLE R. 1**

Roscoe Moore accompanied his mother to Spokane where she will undergo a very serious operation. Mrs. Moore is a Colville during his absence.

Nearly the whole community populace attended the county fair last week. Luther and Lewis Burden and Chas. Wendel received prizes in the stock exhibits.

Leonard DeHart returned to the Valley hospital Monday. The final skin grafting will be applied to his injured leg in preparation for the artificial limb. He has been spending several weeks with home folks to regain strength.

There is such an abundance of garden produce due to the prolonged sunshine. Melons and tomatoes are plentiful and especially appreciated is the ripened corn.

E. Coonrad and son Robert have gone to the fruit harvest below Spokane. They made the trip in their car.

Jno. Calhoun has gone to South Fork with his big team to work in the timber.

The H. H. club spent a pleasant and profitable day with Mrs. Christman Wednesday.

Mr. Ochenpugh has commenced to work with his team at the Dolomite.

There were thirty in attendance at the Sunday school last Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Vibrams will entertain the White Lake Social club Oct. 11.

Mrs. Wm. Underwood has been spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. DeHart.

**DOUGLAS FALLS NEWS**

Mrs. Sidney Barnes and little daughter Betty visited with her mother Mrs. James Crawford on Saturday.

Rex Barton of Billings, Montana, is visiting at the C. A. Barton home.

Miss Velma Houghland of Republic has been a guest at the E. Alice Myers home. The Houghland and Myers families were old time friends in Iowa. Miss Houghland left for Rice Wednesday where she will visit a sister before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kohlstaedt and family were Sunday guests at the Spicer home in Colville. While there they attended both morning and evening services at the M. E. church.

Mrs. R. W. Robinson enjoyed a visit from relatives from Marcus over the week-end.

James Crawford made himself busy as usual at the fair.

R. W. Robinson left Monday to serve on the federal petit jury.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Libby from Garden Home addition were visitors at the R. W. Robinson home a week ago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gleason and

Norma Gleason were Sunday guests at the N. C. Gleason home.

R. W. Robinson has constructed a small silo from which to supply his chickens with green feed for the winter.

The fall work is in full swing these days.

C. A. Barton is helping P. Stewart this week. He came home Wednesday to see his brother Rex, who is visiting them. Little Eugene Barton is staying home from school a few days with his father enjoying hunting and fishing trips with him.

Welcome rains fell this week. That's what makes the people from the falls wear that smile.

A party of hunters from near Spokane, friends of S. B. Kohlstaedt, were fortunate enough to bring down a deer the first morning of the season, and inside of fifteen minutes. When dressed he weighed 200 pounds. They returned home Wednesday on account of the rain.

**Marble Valley News Notes**

Mrs. C. H. King, Representative

The Sunday school has had a three months vacation. We expect to get together and prepare to resume services Sunday.

Fred Fast took a load of wheat to Colville Friday and attended the fair.

Those who attended the fair on Friday from here were Wm. Goss with the Marble Valley school children, Miss Goss, Mrs. Fast, Mrs. Schoner, H. T. Skeels and family, C. H. King and family, A. J. Schuoler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dowty, Dan Nickerson and family, Chester Skeels and family.

We have reason to be proud of the display made by the girls sewing club under the leadership of Miss Ora Skeels and Mrs. Fred Fast. Considering the short time they have had to prepare things, it was sure fine. The girls looked nice in the new uniforms made by themselves.

Mr. Erickson and Ruth came home Saturday evening and returned Sunday evening.

Horace Goss has been filling a contract for 5 tons of marble delivered at the Addy depot.

Mr. Skeels' Jerseys took several prizes at the fair, also his onions and other vegetables.

There have been several bear killed in the vicinity this fall.

Freddie Rolly and Esther Hender were married in Colville last week and left Saturday to pick apples at Fairfield.

Robert Staeheli is moving his family to Addy this week. Mr. Staeheli is manager of the Hazelwood cream station at Addy.

**Urge Adding Territory to Columbia Project**

Miles, Wash., Oct. 2, 1922.—To Ivan E. Gooder, chief engineer, department of conservation and development, Olympia.

Dear Sir: In reply to yours of September 18 in regard to taking up the irrigation of the Spokane river valley and its tributaries from Spokane city to the Columbia valley, I believe this should be added to the Columbia Basin project as an initial step in bringing the entire survey of land available for the project. The first move in bringing water from the Pend Oreille river above Albany falls by canal enters the head waters of the Little Spokane river, and could immediately become available for irrigating the Little Spokane and Spokane river valleys by a high line canal on the highest benches of the river valley, as well as the Columbia valley above and below the mouth of the Spokane river. The water could be used with immediate returns from the valley regions, while the remainder of the canals for reaching the great area south of here were being constructed. From its very inception the canal would not be useless waiting for other sections to be built; which I understand is to be constructed in sections year after year as recommended by engineers, and as appropriations become available. The waters would be in use from the first, showing results and returns which would appeal to congress in furthering this immense plan.

O. L. Babcock, agent of the former Spokane Indian reservation at Wellpinit, to whom I have referred the valley plan, has taken the matter up with the reclamation engineer of the Indian department with favorable results in relation to the part of the valley that would affect the Indian reservation. The Indian department has funds that can be made immediately available for survey for reclamation of Indian lands, which would supplement the proposed Columbia Basin survey. I believe the better plan would be to add the Spokane valley area to the Columbia Basin project without delay as a preliminary move in the immense scheme. The sooner results are obtained from the project, the greater leverage and inducements for appropriations from congress for reclamation purposes

can be secured. This seems logical to me and with all to whom I have talked concerning the valley irrigation plan as a part of the Columbia Basin project.—Yours, A. E. Lewis.

**POLITICAL NOTES**

Voters who are not registered by midnight, Oct. 17, will not be permitted to vote at the general election.

Notice has been filed with the county auditor of withdrawal from the democratic ticket by L. B. Donley for prosecutor, J. M. Huggins for school superintendent, R. B. Thomas for engineer, and Thomas Taylor for assessor. All were named by sticking at the primary. It is said that the county committee will fill the vacancies.

A strong effort is being made by the republican organization of the state to keep the state administration in the same hands as in past years. Matters of taxation and laws regarding political parties have been very favorable in the past to the west side business interests which have been able to control past legislatures.

This year there are 51 republican candidates for the house who were previous members, and there are 19 republican candidates for the senate who were previous members. If any reasonable percentage of these men can be reelected, it will prove a vote of confidence in the party's administration of this state which will enable the controlling influences of the west side to put in the rest of the proposed program for this state.

The people of Washington pay more taxes than the people of Ohio. In fact, this state is fourth in the union in the amount of taxes paid.

The control of the next legislature is already being planned by the west side interests which have had charge of the legislature for many years. Mark E. Reed, the Mason county politician, is scheduled for speaker of the house. He has been a member consecutively since 1915, and according to the republican legislative nominees, will unquestionably be the next speaker.

Spokesman Review: State Senator Lon Johnson, Colville, spent yesterday in Spokane and advised local republicans that the political outlook in Stevens and Pend Oreille county, which district he represents in the legislature, is satisfactory. He expressed confidence in being reelected over Robert Horton, democrat, Colville, and L. Denman, farmer-labor, Bossburg. "There is no question of Senator Poindexter and Congressman Webster receiving substantial majorities in Stevens and Pend Oreille," Senator Johnson said.

**Dill Presses Challenge on Poindexter Record**

Senator Poindexter has answered the challenge of C. C. Dill by asking that the proposals for debate be made more definite. Dill replies that Poindexter is quibbling and dodging and trying to wave aside the charges made against his record. Meanwhile the voters are reading the challenge and taking considerable interest in any possible replies. Dill says: "If Senator Poindexter is correctly quoted in the newspapers, then it is evident that he is quibbling and dodging my proposal for a joint discussion of his record and the issues of this campaign. Evidently he wants me to write my speech so he can prepare a reply before we meet. He not only tries to wave aside the charges I made, but worst of all he tries to play politics with the Columbia basin some more, by saying that he thinks I am against it. "Not only am I for the Columbia Basin project, but I was one of the first citizens in this state to believe in it and advocate it. I was secretary to Governor Lister in 1913 when he first conceived the idea of presenting the proposition of developing this 2,000,000 acres of land to the federal government. After I went to congress and we were both reelected in 1916 it was planned between us, that as a member of the public lands committee and the irrigation committee of the house, I should father the presentation of the movement to congress. The outbreak of the war made that impossible. "I have studied this project closely. I have repeatedly visited every part of it and if I had been in the senate during the past few years since the war ended, I would not have waited until a few days before starting home to get renominated and reelected, before doing anything officially to get the attention of congress to this great project. "Nor would I have permitted a bill passed through the senate to go to the house and there sleep and die during the following two months of adjournment, unless I were playing politics. "I am for the Columbia Basin project. If I go to the senate, I shall

**MARKETING PRICES PAID IN COLVILLE**

This column gives the farmer an idea of the prices current in Colville for his produce. The Colville market price is largely based on the Spokane price. These quotations are from the Wilson Produce Company, Wingham's Market, Old Dominion Creamery, and the Colville Meat Market. The meat prices are current for the week.

**Paid to Producer**

Beef cattle, live weight ..... 2 to 4  
Veal, live weight ..... 4 to 6  
Hogs, live weight ..... 10  
Hogs, dressed ..... 12½  
Lamb ..... 6 to 7½  
Hens, heavy ..... 11  
Butterfat, sweet ..... 47  
Butterfat, sour ..... 45  
Eggs, dozen, trade ..... 35  
Eggs, dozen, cash ..... 30  
Ranch butter, trade ..... 40  
Wheat ..... 85  
Oats, ton ..... \$34  
Hay, ton ..... \$20  
Potatoes, 100 lbs. .... 75  
Cordwood, dry ..... \$5  
Cordwood, green ..... \$4.50

**VOTE FOR ALBERT I. KULZER**

Democratic Candidate for State Representative

Pledged to economy in administration of state and county affairs, and reduction of taxes

**AN EXPERIENCED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT For County Auditor**

Twenty-six years of actual experience in Stevens county in public and private accounting and bookkeeping, and in executive work in charge of Colville postoffice.

**C. M. DURLAND**

Known to practically every voter in the county as a highly efficient accountant, with an immense capacity for work, and a proven record for economical management.

A vote for Durland for auditor is a vote for the interests of the taxpayer.

**DAISY LORENZ**

For Superintendent Stevens County Public Schools

Subject to General Election

**DAVID E. PEARSON FOR COMMISSIONER First District**

A farmer and taxpayer of Stevens county for 14 years. A farmer who has made a success in the county and who has worked hard and knows the burden of high taxes, and if elected will endeavor to reduce expenses of Stevens county.

**E. J. TREMBLAY**

Republican Candidate FOR COUNTY CLERK

Ex-service man—A taxpayer—Resident of Stevens county for 32 years.