

Spokane

Coming as a complete surprise for her Portland friends, was the announcement of the engagement of Miss Ruth Elton, sister of Mrs. John Hodgkin of this city, to Roy Keats, prominent Portland attorney at a smart tea given in Portland by one of Miss Elton's sorority sisters.

Miss Elton has been visiting her sister for the past month and left a week ago for Portland. The bride-elect attended the University of Oregon where she was a member of the Phi Beta Phi sorority. During the past year she has been directing Ellison-White Chautauqua work.

Mr. Terry is a graduate of the University of Oregon and also of Harvard Law School. He was commissioned lieutenant in the first officer's training class at the Presidio and was among the first to be sent overseas. After his discharge, he returned to Portland to continue his law practice. No definite date has been set for the wedding, which will be an event of mid-fall.

An informal dancing party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Stoddard on Adams avenue, last Tuesday evening, honoring Miss Josephine

Elton, of Portland, Oregon, who has been visiting here for the past two weeks with her father, Kenneth Elton. The evening was spent in dancing, after which light refreshments were served. The guest list included: Audrey Playle, Bud Newlin, Howard Stoddard, John Stoddard, David Johnson, Frank Crippen, Lloyd Griffith, Carolyn Palmer, Lorna Coolidge, Marcelle Berry, Josephine Evans, Edith Bragg, Jeannette Stoddard, and the hosts and hostesses, Dr. and Mrs. Ray Murphy, and Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard.

Mrs. W. M. Nicholls informally entertained the "No Name" club on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. J. Hill of Elgin, Illinois, who is a guest at the Nichols home. A very delightful afternoon was spent.

The Misses Kiffe and Ida Ellis, of St. Maries, Idaho, left Friday morning for Walla Walla, after spending a fortnight with Rev. and Mrs. N. S. Hawk.

Mrs. J. J. Pearson, and daughter Deloris and Beverly arrived home today from Salt Lake where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

New Y. M. C. A. Physical Director to Take Up Duties Monday.

R. L. Lapham of Portland, has arrived in the city and will take up his duties on Monday as the physical director at the local Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Lapham is a native son of Oregon, having been born and raised in Portland. For the past 15 years, or ever since he has been a member of the Portland Association, he has been a lay worker in the gymnasium. He graduated last spring from the physical education department at Reed College and was very active in the college Y. M. C. A. work.

He was for two years social settlement worker in Portland, after which he joined the Marines and spent one year at Peking, China, later going to the Philippines and then taking a trip around the world. He was released last year from the service just in time to return to Reed College for graduation.

His work as physical director of the local Y. M. C. A. will begin Monday and as soon as Mr. Lapham is able to make out a schedule, the gymnasium classes will commence.

Sept. 10 last day to pay water rent without penalty. 9-7-3t

Mrs. M. Plumb, who has been visiting with Mrs. J. C. Gilling for the past few weeks, left Friday morning for Spokane.

WATER SUPERINTENDENT BEGINS LONG TOUR

Geo. T. Cochran Leaves This Morning to Attend Water Hearings in the Interior

An official visit will carry State Water Superintendent George T. Cochran into more than a dozen counties and require the traveling by automobile of between fifteen hundred and two thousand miles will be commenced this morning, when that official departs for The Dalles.

After spending a few days and holding water hearings at The Dalles he will proceed on his journey, intending to hold scheduled hearings at Tygh Valley, Bend, Lakeview and Klamath Falls. The hearing at The Dalles and at Tygh Valley will be concerning the waters of White River and Fifteen Mile Creek, the hearing at Bend will involve Snow Creek, the hearing at Lakeview will involve Drews Creek and Cottonwood Creek, and the hearing at Klamath Falls will involve Anna and Cherry Creeks. These hearings will require about three weeks time, and are the beginning of the settling and establishing of the water rights along these streams. A number of large irrigation companies are involved in the proceedings, which will ultimately place the distribution of water from all these streams under the control of the state water

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New Zealand Agates, a new feature in beads, combined with old or silver chains—ask to see them—\$3.50-\$4.50

MacVest & Co.

THE DESIGNER FOR OCTOBER IS HERE

NEW AUTUMN MODELS

NEW COATS

Attractive showing of many new fall and winter coats of all kinds, colors and styles. New colors feature all shades of brown, the infantry blue, grays and dark blues. Also there are many plush coats in new and attractive styles. Perhaps the most interesting at present are the new sport coats of plush, imitation seal, polo cloth and mixtures. These are short with belts and large convertible collars. Those of wool have fur collars and cuffs. Among these first new coats, there may be just the one you want—anyway we want you to see them.

NEW SUITS

Here are certain impressions derived from an inspection of new arrivals. Skirts will be shorter—the popular length will be six to seven inches, although ankle length may be worn, if desired.

Skirts will be wider—generally, although some of the most important fashion creators are adhering to the straight, narrow skirt because of the charming silhouette it undoubtedly gives.

Suits will have narrow shoulders—and tightly-fitting sleeves and narrowed cuffs.

Plain Tailoring—very plain and mannish, yet feminine. Suits are of Three Different Categories—The blouse back suit, the straight line suit and the ripple suit with high belt and flaring coat.

Suit Materials are the newly revived, old-fashioned whip cord, velour, broadcloth, serge, silverstone and tricotine.



MEN!



Returning Infantry

The Plain Toe "Gothic"

MILITARY style that has been adopted for civil wear. Made by Florsheim of rich brown Cordovan—a superior quality shoe that will give long service and absolute comfort. A style of the times.

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New Silk Shirts

The newest and by far the finest of all silks have just arrived. They are **RATES STREET** Shirts of strictly dependable quality; some are in fine stripes, some in wide stripes; the colors are new and different. See them in our window, then come in and we'll show them all to you. The prices range from \$7.50 to \$13.50. All sizes from 14 to 17 1-2.

BOYS!

we now have

Hart Schaffner & Marx

CLOTHES FOR YOU—It's a new thing this year, but they are like dad wears, so he'll know all about the wearing qualities. Come in and see the new suits for school. Guaranteed all wool fabrics, just like the men's. The finest clothes for boys. New waist seam models for fall. They're new, so come and get acquainted with them.



Beautiful New

Blouses

Of Georgette are arriving every day; only a few at a time, but we are glad to have those in view of the great scarcity and difficulty in securing them. The few we received yesterday are of very fine grade Georgette, with lace trimming and hand embroidery; each one is an exclusive model. The prices range from \$8.00 up to \$20.

A New

Armstrong Shoe

This recent arrival is by far the finest shoe in our stock of new fall models. A stone grey kid, the last long and slender in line, with high arch and high Louis, covered heel; welt sole; a very dressy shoe for the season. Price \$15.00.

FURS

New furs have been arriving constantly. To those who are contemplating buying furs this year, we would suggest that you make selections now. At least see these new ones we've received. You may reserve any of these furs by paying a small amount now.

Our Boys' Department

Is complete for the outfitting of the baby. There are many new and pretty things, as well as all the necessities, in wearing apparel. You will be surprised at the large stock of infants' necessities we carry at all times. Silk Comforters, Wool-nap Blankets, Sanitary Rubber Sheetings, Infants' Dresses, Bath Robes, Booties, Wrappers, etc. We invite the mothers to inspect our stock.

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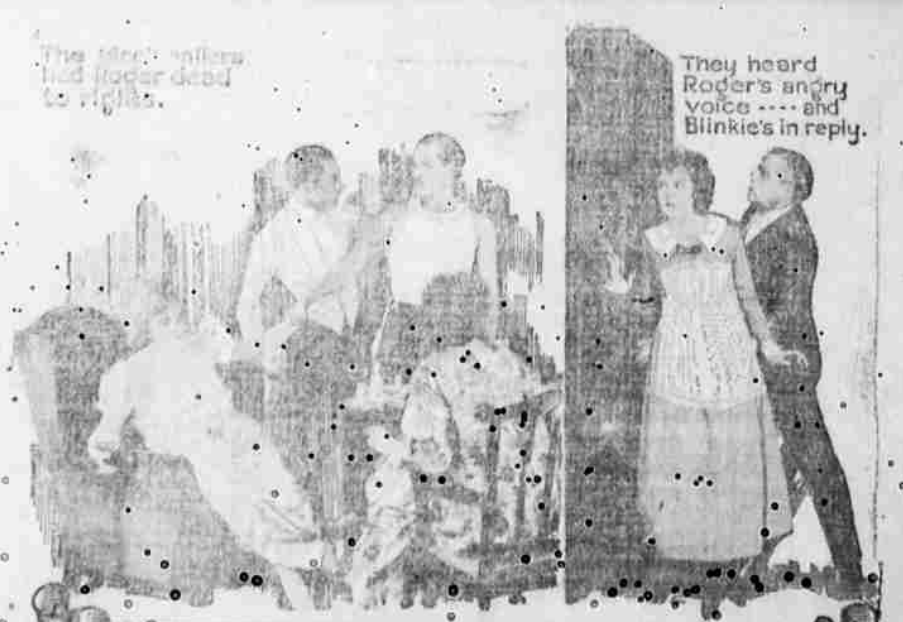
Word has been received in this city of the death of little Jean, 16 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Duryea, at Kelso, Washington. The funeral will be held at the Kelso. Mr. and Mrs. Duryea are well known here.

CALL FOR BIDS

The City of La Grande will receive bids for the painting of the city building at the corner of Elm street and Washington avenue as per specifications to be had at the office of the city recorder, said bids to be filed with the recorder on

or before September 11, 1919, 7:30 p. m. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids not considered to the interest of the city.
JOHN COLLIER, City Manager.
9-6-4t.

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Anita Stewart in "A Midnight Romance"

ARCADE THEATRE... MONDAY and TUESDAY