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THE SOUL AND THE SONG.

(By Frank L. Stanton.)
What thought the summer's faded, an winter's bleak an' long, Anytime is song-time if the soul be in the reng! The rivers ripple music where water lilles throng:— Any time for singin' if the soul be in the song!

Any time for singin'-the thunder of the strife-In the love-dreams of the valleys, if the song's the breath of life!

The angels lean an' listen from the windows of the blue.

An' they'll shout in happy chorus, an' they'll kiss their hands to you!

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CAUGHT IN HIS OWN TRAP .

N the story of Mr. Harding's "spokesman from France" we have one of the big flashes of the campaign and an incident that throws a light on the character of Warren Galimeil Harding and his campaign methods.

The official stenographic notes from the Harding speech at Terre Haute, Ind., on Saturday, quoted Mr. Harding as follows: "Why, my countrymen. France has sent her spokesman to me informally naking America in its new realization of the situation to lead the way for an

Those are specific words and they admit of but one mean-Mr. Harding conveyed the impression and he doubtless meant to convey the impression that the French government had sent a representative to talk matters over informally with him. Questioned by President Wilson as to his statement at Terre

Hause, Mr. Harding "crawfished" as follows:
"I am sure that my words could not be construed to say that the French
government has sent anybody to me. The thought I was trying to convey
was that there had come to me those who spoke a sentiment which they rep-

ented to be very manifest among the French people."

In the language of Theodore Roosevelt there is but one word that fittingly portrays Mr. Harding's behavior and it is "short and ugly." The senatorial candidate has been squarely caught in his own trap. Making a demagogic appeal for votes he libeled the government of France and has publicly admitted the fact. The French government corroborated the statement that it has had no dealings with him.

In his explanation Mr. Harding does not even claim he was visited by any sort of a Frenchman. His statement on that point is vague. From all he says it may be he got his information from William Randolph Hearst, from Will Hays, Hiram Johnson or

some other Frenchman of that type. Mr. Harding has made a pitiful spectacle of himself but this incident is directly in line with the whole campaign against the league of Nations. The fight against the league from start to finish has been based on misrepresentation and falselfood. It is not surprising that pro league republicans are flocking to support of Governor Cox. Self respect leaves no other course open to them.

******** THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

R WAILES' idea that the League of Nations is a fire department is good. In the recent big fire the United States lost 81,000 men (in battle) and the financial cost was 28 billions. Governor Cox favors averting such disasters in the future by uniting with a world fire department. Mr. Harding opposes the plan and favors relying on the justice of the peace in case another fire should get started. That's the case in a nutshell. If the Harding logic is sound, Pendleton property owners are mistaken in wanting a better fire truck. All we need is a fireman's helmet for Joe Parkes.

Louis Seibold, one of the country's foremost journalists, says prominent Harding official at Peoria, Ill., told him that in Illinois alone \$360,000 was being expended on keeping the col-ored vote solid for Harding and Coolidge. The same writer reports that in Tennessee and Kentucky Harding workers are promising patronage and social recognition at the white house in their campaign for colored votes. Is that the way to conduct ton Saturday to visit her brother, an "America First" campaign for the presidency?

Milt Miller is not a professional elocutionist but he is a sincere minded, intelligent speaker who will talk fairly and insuit no one. It will be worth while to hear him tonight at the Arcere minded, intelligent speaker who will talk fairly and insult

The suggestion for a road from Helix to Wallula if any sort of a Wallula highway is needed is sound. Such a road would be of some benefit to Umatilla county and to Eastern Oregon and the cost would be light compared with the proposal for a high-way from Umatilla to Wallula.

The Portland chief of police say that short skirts, etc., make women vampish. But Cleopatra wore a long skirt and she was ackoned as considerable of a yamp in her day.

If Major Whittlesley talks like he fought he will make them take notice.

Woman's rosy complexion cost \$750,000,000 during the past year, it is asserted; no figures are available on what it costs men to shave but they have spent over a billion on cigarettes and cirars which of course are necessities.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 20

LIBERTY HALL

SAWYER'S ORCHESTRA

Be sure and be present. You'll have a good time.

WEDDING IS "CALLED OFF"



NEW YORK—"Called Off"—reason not assigned. This is what imprened to the scheduled wedding of Miss Nora Sprague, New York actress, and Addison Barnes Gatling, grandson of Dr. Jordon Gatling, the inventor of the rapid firing gun. Miss Sprague is a graduate of Western College, Oxford, O. Gatling has been married twice, though he is only 23.

TO WINTER PASTURES

Meacham visitors Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrg. Steve Lawlor went to Pendleton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Water. Charles Hhompson, W. M. Chelf and Miss Callie McJukins attended the dance at Kameia Saturday evening.

Mrs. Steve Lawlor went to Portland Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Lotlie CVCTF.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dockwelder were shopping in La Grande Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Barker returned to Pendleton after spending week visiting friends and relatives.

Lester Knowlton and family are moving to Pendleton for the winter.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—(U. P.)—Demands of 100,000 employees of short line railroads for an annual wage inrease approximating \$50,000,000 were considered here Monday by railroad abor board. The demands are similar o those presented by employes of the

DEEDS

Albert Boylen to Daisy I. Best \$10.
Lot 2, Black 1, South Add. Pilot Rock.
Mary Thempkins to May Crowley

2500. Lots 5 and 6, Block 4, Kirks nd Add. Athena.

25d Add. Athena.

Mary Ellen Morrow to A. O. and
Roy A. Kirk \$5000.00, NE 1-4 NW 1-4
and NW 1-4 NE 1-4 Sec. 12, Sw 1-4 SE
1-4 and SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Sec. 1, Tg. 2, N.

Lydia M. Bowman to Laura Pweedy \$1400. Lot 4, Block 5 in addi-tion to Add. of Jacobs Add. and part of Lot 10, Res. Add. Rondleton. Lot 3, Block S, Koonty and Add. Echo. National Surety Co. to Joseph C. Thomas \$25.00 Se 1-4 Sec. 36, Tp. 6.

N. R. 28. Columbbia Land Company to L. O'Connor \$1,00 Lot 10, Block '20, Stanfield.

1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 36, Tp. 3, N. H. 34. economy in state and county george R. Boberts to B. L. Burroughs \$1.00 SW 1-4 SW 1-4 SW 2-3 roughs \$1.00 SW 1-4 SW 1-4 Sec. 23,

Tp. 6, N. R. 29. George R. Roberts to B. L. Bur-roughs \$1,99 W 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 26.

(East Oregonian Special)

MEACHAM, Oct. 19—J. E. Smith jury and transporting prioners to the ivestock Co. are taking two lands of state pentientary at School in the past two weeks, Sheriff Jinks Taylor re-Arthur Horne, Jeff Stevens and R. cently made a still hunt in the east Arthur Horne, Jeff Stevens and R. end of the county. In the hills be Merrick from Umatilla, are here on a youl Milton the sheriff located a de Dale Slusher is in Meacham on bus- serted cabin and an abandoned moonress.
Tom Lawlor is here to visit his bro-tion up to within a few weeks ago.

ther Steve Lawtor.

The moonshiners left plenty of evidentham was visited by a big snow storm Wednesday. Oct. 12

Wid Knowlton returned home after two years' absence. He has been employed in Seattle ship yards.

Frank Roach is in Meacham on business.

Mrs. Uhra Dyer from Kamela, was visiting her father W. M. Chelf.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanlen were Meacham visitors Wednesday.

BANKER HOLDS U. S.

ROCKHILL, S. C. Oct. 19 .- (A. P.) -The U. S. has one of the best bank-ing system in the world and "under it never expect to see another panic, George E. Hoberts, vice president of the National City Bank of New York, declared last night in an address before business men in which he an-alyzed the credit situation.

Mr. Roberts said the present situation is due to the "aggregate demand for credit by all the industries and all lines of business beyond the ability of the banking system to supply." Such conditions, he added, resulted from "the war; from the waste of capital and expansion of credit during the



J. T. LIEUALLEN

(Democratic nominee)

Newport Construction Co to A. L. Candidate for Representa-Larson \$10.00 Lot 14, Block 2, New-port Add. Hermiston.

P. M. Coller, Referee to H. S. Morray \$600.00 Let 12, Block 55, Free- for 57 years. Favors effi-Jim Kannie to L. L. Mann \$1,00 is ciency in office and strict

Vote X No. 58

FACULTY AND STUDENTS BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD OF SCHOOL ENTERTAINED

HELIX. Oct. 19.—A delightful party was given Friday evening to the migh school by Mrs. William Albee.
Those present included Prof. Paul birthday of her son, & aurice. Several Lloyd Davidson, Julius Nelson, James they returned and played many games they returned and played many games until late in the afternoon. Refresh-McAlavy, Wanda Alspach, Katheryr McIntyre, Alice Clark, Grace Garrett Incas Friday. and Elva Alexander.

Ernest and Grace, have returned to Helly to reside. They have been living at La Crosse, Washington,

Mrs. Alma Bott and children of St. ohns, Washington, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Hutchin-

Jack Rose spent the week-end in

Mrs. Bessie Rosse and Mrs. Chas. Alspach motored to Walla Walls where they visited Mrs. George Mc-Granahan, formerly of Helix.

At the regular October meeting of the W. C. T. U. held Wednesday the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Min-nic Walker first vice-president, Mrs. A .C. McIntyre; second vice-president Mrs. William Albee; secretary and

treasurer, Mrs. R. Frazier. Mr. and Mrs. Art Gover, Ira Ccott, nd Mrs. Harlow Richmond, were vis- Mrs. A. B. Thomson. tors at the home of Mrs. Dinah Ken-

fell one day this week.
Elbert Tate, assistant cashier of the Friday Helix Rank, has returned from a va-

cation trip spent in the Willamette Mr. and Mrs. Matlock of La Crosse Wash, are here visiting their daugh-ier, Mrs. George Piper,

An informal reception was given on Saturday afternoon to the teachers by the W. C. R. U. The affair was held at the home of Mrs. Edgar Nervall. A short program, consisting of the following, was given: Remarks, Mayor Grav: instrumental solo, Mrs. Victor Mason; remarks, J. S. Norvall; rocal solo, Mrs. Edgar Norvall; read-ing, Mrs. A. C. McIntyre; vocal duet, Mesdames Roy Penland and L. D. Smith After a social hour hainty refreshments were served.
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kendell en

joyed a week-end hunting trip in the mountains where they visited friends.

(East Orogonian Special.)

Read, Miss L. Ault, Mrs. Clifford birthday of her son, Yaurice. Several Kendell Miss Clarurous Bandelet children gathered at the Johnson home Kondell, Miss Clemurons, Randolph Cook, Myren Shannon, Ben Nelson, and were taken for a car ride over the will spend the winter with her broth-led Davidson, Julius Nelson, James Meadows by Mrs. Johnson, after which er, L. L. Hiatt. Robertson, William Albee Jr., Gai ments consisting of ice-cream, cake, Alspach, Burt Morrison, Jess Brown, Harold Lozier, Elva Bledsoe. Alice

Neill 'tock was in Pendleton on bus-

Mr. M. Mitchell of Wilbur, Wash-Mrs. Jennie Leslie and children, instanting at the home of her brother, A. R. Hammer.

Mrss Alphu Teel, accompanied by her son, Jack and brother, Dick Kates

Fred Hale and Jim Pearson of Stanfleid stopped in Echo, Sunday on their return from a hunting trip to Starkey Prairie. They succeeded in getting two large deer.

trip to Pendleton Monday.

usiness trip to California.

Mrs. Rose Webb is having her res.—Druggists everywhere.

idence, which was recently damaged by fire, remodeled into a modern bun-galow. C. A. Stavens of Pendleton has

the building contract. Mrs. Wife Hoskins of Stanfield was

here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. May were visitors in Boardman, Sunday.

Judge Wallace McCamant, prominent jurist and statesman of Portland addressed a large crowd Saturday vening in the city hall on the political sues of the day.

Mrs. Mary R. Pearson left the latter

Mrs. James T. Brown and Mrs. Nell lillette are visiting this week in Port-

Miss Adeline McCormick returned to Partland Sunday, after visiting for a few days here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. McCormick,

Gaylord Madison and Donald Madion were visitors here from Butter Creek Saturday.

and Mrs. Jane French, will leave
Thursday to attend the celebration of
Mrs. Teel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.
R. Kates of Clarekston, Washington.

The Catholic ladies of this city met
at the home of Mrs. Joseph Cunha Jr.
Wednesday afternoon and organized a
Ladies Altar Sodality. The following Otis McCarty was here from Butter officers were elected: Mrs. Maggie Creek, Sunday.

Higginbotham, president; Mrs. Pauline Miss Meda Gillette of Pendleton Gravelle, vice president; Mrs. Joseph spent the week-end visiting with her Cunha, Jr., treasurer, and Mrs. Joseph

IS A MERRY WIDOW "Soon after my husband's death s years ago t was taken with ty-phoid Mes Clytle Hale mad, a business fever from atomach and liver trouble and constitution. I have doctored a Frank Sloan was here from Stan-eld Saturday. Miss Neva Hawkins was a visitor in three months ago my bowels have moved regularly and I am feeling well

Mrs. Hattie Stanfield of Portland is again. I am now a happy woman."
Sating at the home of her daughter, It is a simple harmless preparation Frs. A. B. Thomson.

Zoeth Houser, republican nomines from the intestinal tract and allays Zoeth Houser, republican nomines for shgriff was in Militon on business the iinflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal Manuel Pedro left last week for a business trip to California.

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