

## Press Paragraphs

### "The Desert Flower"

Standard Theatre, tomorrow night.

B. B. Richards spent Wednesday in Pendleton on a business mission.

Mrs. Henry Pinkerton of Portland is here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Helen Hodgson has accepted a position at the McFadden pharmacy.

Marion Hansell and Omer Stephens attended the trap shoot at Echo, Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Dickenson is acting as substitute at the Athena telephone office.

Sunday night at the Christian church a children's program will be given at eight o'clock.

Edwin and Ralph McEwen Jr., spent Sunday in Walla Walla visiting friends.

Miss Helen Brinker of Freewater, was a week end guest of Miss Genevieve Baker.

Mrs. Anna Cartano is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jane Harden this week.

Goodman & Rogers delivered three new McCormick-Deering binders to Athena farmers this week.

A guest at the Arthur Jenkins home in Athena Sunday was Mr. Jenkins mother of Freewater.

Glen Arbogast is up from his home at Ritter, and is employed on the Flint Johns farm, west of town.

Mrs. Lowell Harder (nee Carrie De Freece) who now resides in Milton, was an Athena visitor Wednesday.

Miss Zola Keen and mother returned to Athena Sunday. Miss Keen was a teacher in the high school at Hood River.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Richards and son Ronald returned Sunday from Portland, Eugene and other valley points.

### "Wild, Wild Susan"

Standard Theatre, Sunday night.

Miss Areta Littlejohn is home from her school at Marshfield where she acted in the capacity of a high school teacher.

Cora M. Clark has brought suit for divorce from Gay L. Clark. The Clarks were residents of Athena, at one time.

Clem Reese, an old timer of Weston, came from San Francisco to be in attendance at the Pioneers' picnic at Weston.

Miss Ruth Proebstel has finished her year's teaching at Hood River and will return to her home in Weston shortly.

W. C. Russell, Sanford Stone and Millard Kelley are at Bend, where they are hunting the fishing streams for big trout.

Mrs. H. I. Watts and Mrs. M. L. Watts will leave the first of the week for Portland. They expect to return Saturday.

Watts brothers are busy cutting wheat hay at their ranch east of town and E. A. Dudley and sons have also begun operations.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Michener and son Oral and Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Miller and children enjoyed Sunday at Bingham Springs.

Miss Ethel Geissel spent Friday evening and Saturday at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Daniel west of Pendleton.

J. A. Lumsden who resides in Weston and well known by Athena people was taken to a hospital in Walla Walla, Monday.

The O. D. O. club will picnic at Cold Springs Sunday June 13. Husbands and families of the members will be their guests.

Mrs. Ella Martin of Ellensburg, Washington, who has been visiting her son Earl Martin and family returned to her home Sunday.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church will conduct a cooked food sale at Steve's Grocery next Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

Green Estes was in town Saturday from Arlington, where he recently added a new business building to his property possessions in that town.

John Stanton is home from Hesper, where he sheared sheep. He will proceed on to Montana next week for the shearing season there.

The ice man was very much in demand in Athena Saturday and Sunday, when the temperatures reached the highest registration of the year.

### "The Dixie Merchant"

Standard Theatre, Wednesday night

Miss Lenore McNair has returned home from a fortnight's visit with friends at Ontario, Oregon. She was also a guest of friends at Nampa, Idaho.

Mrs. E. J. Burchill and granddaughter Mary Bond of Pendleton, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Burchill's daughter, Mrs. C. M. Eager.

Miss Hazel Miller is here from Seattle and is visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller on the corner of Adams and fourth streets.

A letter from Miss Velma Wilkinson, teacher in the Portland schools, announces that she has changed her address from the Carlton, to the Heathman hotel.

David Atkinson representative of several well known insurance companies was a visitor at the B. B. Richards home Wednesday. He was traveling by automobile.

Miss Hazel Sanders, who has been teaching school in Western Oregon, returned home Wednesday, to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Sanders.

Maurice Hill, until recently cashier of the bank at Prescott, Washington, has moved to Walla Walla, where he is the manager of a recently formed loan and trust company.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Zerba and sons and Miss Ruth Williams left by motor Wednesday morning for a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckner at Nolin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. LeGrow have returned to Athena after an absence of three weeks. Mr. LeGrow is recovering from an operation and his condition is considered favorable.

Rev. and Mrs. Dwight L. Hackett who left several weeks ago for a motor trip through California, where they visited relatives and friends, are expected to arrive in Athena this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Radtke and Kathleen and Fred Jr., will leave for their vacation about June fifteenth. They will visit Crater Lake and other points of interest in Southern Oregon.

Mrs. Sherman and daughter Miss Maude Sherman, arrived in Athena Friday, from Estacada, where Miss Sherman has been teaching school, and where she will again teach next year.

Delbert Crimmins has resigned his work at the mill and with his family will leave Athena shortly. They will visit friends and relatives in different parts of the state before taking up a new location.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shick and Mrs. Mary McKay left Tuesday morning for Portland where Mr. Shick will attend an Undertaker's convention. They will also visit at the home of Jap Harden in Salem.

According to the county court, work on the Thorn Hollow grade is progressing and the heaviest part of the work will be completed in time for hauling grain over it after harvest. Completion of the grade will not be however, for some time after that.

Mrs. Castleman and daughter Barbara of Ontario, Oregon, and Mrs. Goldie Bacon of Vancouver, Washington, are visiting at the W. P. Willaby and Fred Kershaw homes. With the Kershaw and Willaby families,

they will go to Pullman, Washington next week, where Miss Frederica Kershaw will graduate from Washington State college.

Athena farmers have been busy this week cutting and shocking their wheat hay crop. The first cutting of alfalfa was put into the stack in splendid condition, no rain interfering with the hay harvest.

Mrs. W. S. Ferguson left Wednesday for Nampa, Idaho where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Horace Belknap for several days. When she returns she will be accompanied by her daughter and children.

The Jolly Joy-Maker's orchestra put on the stunt of driving to Weston Friday and Saturday evenings, and playing on the streets there to advertise the Legion dances given in Athena, on those evenings.

Mrs. J. T. Lieualen is seriously ill at her home in Adams. Little hopes are held for her recovery and Saturday her children were called to her bedside. Her son, Dr. Fred Lieualen of Bend is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Richmond and son Junior of Walla Walla, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Booher of Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and Jennamae were guests at the Clifford Walker home in Gerking Flat Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Russell and daughter Thena and Mr. and Mrs. William Booher returned to their homes in Athena, Sunday after spending the week in Condon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Booher.

Miss Elizabeth Holwager who is taking training at St. Mary's hospital in Walla Walla will spend her vacation at the home of Mrs. B. B. Richards. She will arrive June twentieth and will be here for two weeks.

F. B. Radtke and son Fred, spent the week end at Mirror Lake, in Walla Walla county. Leaving the car on the south fork of the Wallowa river, they hiked over a mountain trail, seven miles to the lake, where they caught some fine trout.

Frank Carstens who has been employed in Portland for some time, arrived home Sunday and is at the home of his parents in Athena. He will work in the shoe shop department owned by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Finch.

Mrs. A. B. McEwen accompanied by her daughter Mrs. H. A. Barrett and her granddaughter Genevieve left for her home in Portland Sunday. Mrs. Barrett will be away for several weeks and Genevieve will spend the summer in the city.

The Legion dances given at Legion Hall in Athena on the evenings of the Pioneer picnic at Weston were largely attended. A dance is announced at Legion hall for tomorrow night, the Jolly Joy-Maker's orchestra furnishing the music.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Mitchell and daughters Opal and Lillian arrived here by motor from their home at Cottonwood, Idaho, Thursday and spent the week end at the F. L. Pittman home. Mr. Mitchell and Mrs. Pittman are brother and sister.

Glen W. Hutton left Monday for Spokane where he will deliver a commencement address at the Spokane University. He expects to return the last of the week. Carroll Fairbanks has also gone to Spokane to attend the exercises, he having attended the university.

Mrs. C. H. Smith and Mrs. F. D. Watts, who motored up from Portland to visit friends in Athena and Weston and attend the Pioneers' picnic, returned home Monday. They were accompanied to Portland by Mrs. E. C. Rogers, Miss Genevieve Rogers and little Helen Rogers.

Charles Dickey who has been working on the Central Pacific railroad at Lewiston, drove down from there the first of the week. Mrs. Dickey who was with him at Lewiston, has been quite ill and was not able to make the trip to Athena. Mr. Dickey returned Tuesday to Ferdinand, where Mrs. Dickey is at the home of her sister, and if her health will permit she will accompany him on his return here, within a few days.

## The Churches

**M. E. Church**  
Sunday school at 10: a. m. Morning worship at 11: a. m. Every-body always welcome, come June 20, for the Children's day program.

**Baptist Church**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Kohler Betts assistant superintendent—Gartner the grains? Yes! and the boys and girls also. Worship at 11:00. Theme, "Triumphant Faith"—We can worship at home, in forest by stream or lake but chances are we won't. Young peoples meeting, Junior at 6:00. Senior at 7:00. Begin young in life. It is easier to stay out than to get out after you get in. Song and praise service 8:00. Theme, "Daily Life". Blood is the price of liberty. Indifference to the Cost makes us unappreciative of its worth. Young peoples prayer service every Tuesday evening at 8:00. Here the light shines and darkness must take notice. Mid-week meeting every Thursday evening at 8:00. Devotional and Bible study.

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International News.

Comedy

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Sunday, June 13

Bebe Daniels and Rod LaRocque

In

# Wild, Wild Susan

Here's the Bebe of "Miss Bluebeard" and "The Manicure Girl" as a rebellious society girl, who goes out searching for a thrill and finds it—with a vengeance.—Bebe in her finest role to date in a de-luxe comedy knockout. Come and see what should be done with the wild, wild Susans of today!

Pathe Review

Comedy

Admission Prices, 10c-35c

Wednesday, June 16

Madge Bellamy and Jack Mulhall

In

# The Dixie Merchant

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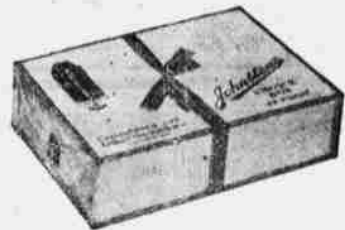
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