

## Press Paragraphs

Lillian Gish in "Romola" Standard Theatre, tomorrow night. "The Ancient Highway" Standard Theatre, Sunday night. F. G. Lucas was in town Wednesday from Weston.

Mrs. H. A. Barrett visited friends in Pendleton, Tuesday.

Jimmy Howard of Walla Walla, was in Athena, Monday.

Mrs. Lillian Fredericks was a visitor in Athena Wednesday.

The children of J. S. Huffman have entered the Athena school.

Mrs. A. J. Wagner is ill at her home in the north part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pinkerton of Milton, were in Athena Wednesday.

Mrs. Jess White was in town Wednesday from Blue Mountain station.

Miss Gladys McLeod left Saturday for Portland, where she will visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hansell and children spent Sunday at Bingham Springs.

Mrs. A. M. Johnson and daughters Blanche and Lois were in Pendleton Saturday.

Warren Allen and family of Salem are visiting at the Ralph Allen home west of Athena.

Mrs. Ella Haines of Terrebonne, Oregon, was a guest this week of Mrs. Mattie Mitchell.

Frank Beale and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Beale, were in Athena Tuesday, from La Grande.

Rebekah Lodge will meet Tuesday September 14, and all members are requested to be present.

Sanford Stone and Ed Welch are remodeling the Welch bachelor quarters on Main street.

Art Douglas and Will Piper are hunting deer this week in the mountains south of Pilot Rock.

A number of Athena fight fans attended a good bout program at Walla Walla, Monday evening.

James Wilson has returned to town from the D. B. Banister farm, and will enter the Athena school.

Roy DeFrece, Arthur and Dalberth Taylor and Wendell Bell spent Sunday at Bingham Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Booher, Mrs. C. O. Henry and Miss Ellen Henry were Pendleton visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Lillian Fredericks has resumed her class in piano and will give

lessons on Saturdays, from 10 a. m. till 6 p. m., at the R. B. McEwen home.

Henry Miller, Clyde McPherrin and John Ridenour are at Hood River to work through the apple-packing season.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richmond and son of Walla Walla, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walker, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Catron, Mrs. Ethel Montague and daughter Marjorie were Pendleton visitors Saturday.

Miss Nell Savely has arrived from Franklin, Kentucky, to take up her fourth year's school work in District No. 2.

Henry Schroeder is here from Weston, having charge of the carpenter work on W. S. Ferguson's new residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Geissel and Mr. and Mrs. Standage of Milton visited relatives and friends in Athena, Sunday.

Bob Proudft and Billy Pinkerton spent Monday in their old fishing haunts on the Umatilla, with fair success.

Jess Gordon left Tuesday for Soap Springs, where he will visit Mrs. Gordon who is taking treatments at that place.

Miss Hilda Dickenson spent the week end in Walla Walla, as a guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. DeFrece.

Sam Pambrun and sons Fay and George, returned from a successful fishing trip in the northern part of Idaho, last week.

Miss Maude Sherman and mother have returned to Estacada, where Miss Sherman will again teach in the schools at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dell of Athena and Mr. and Mrs. Armond DeMerritt of Walla Walla, spent the week end at Wallowa Lake.

Mrs. Richardson and Miss Endicott of the McDonald School of Music in Pendleton were in town last Saturday to organize a class.

Mrs. D. H. Mansfield and daughter Miss Veva Mansfield spent Labor Day in Athena, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Logsdon.

Miss Seville Marty and Lorain Shick of Pendleton, spent Sunday and Monday in Athena, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shick.

George Shevar, horse dealer from Union, who has spent much time in

Athena and vicinity this summer, has returned home. He expects to be here again toward spring with some good mules.

Mrs. Jennie Barrett has returned from a visit to Portland, and was accompanied home by the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barrett.

Miss Kathryn McIntyre returned to Athena, Sunday, from Tillamook, where she has spent the summer at the home of her sister, Mrs. Glen Shelley.

Mrs. David Stone sang at the funeral of Mrs. Earl Gillanders in Pendleton Wednesday morning. She was accompanied by Mrs. O. O. Stephens.

Fay Le Grow, Rich Thompson and Everett Rothrock had a good time fishing in Salmon river last week. The trip was made with saddle horses and a pack outfit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Johnson and Mrs. Lula Barnes, of Pasadena, California, are visiting at the Alvin Johnson home and will remain until after the Round-Up.

Word has been received by friends that Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kellar of Bend, contemplate attending the Round-Up, and visiting friends in Athena and Pendleton.

Miss May Lanning, who has conducted a beauty parlor in Athena for some time, will hereafter have a booth in Miss Pearl Ramsey's Beauty Shoppe, on Main street.

J. M. Banister was campaigning in Athena Wednesday. He leaves the impression of being interested in the senatorship, there having been another entrant the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Armond DeMerritt entertained a number of their friends at their home in Walla Walla, at dinner last evening. After dinner, host, hostess and guests enjoyed the dance at Edgewater.

Jimmie Creswell, who is employed at the Standard Oil company station in Athena, and filled the vacancy made by the departure of Mr. Miller, left Wednesday night for Portland, where he will visit.

School started Tuesday in District 113, with Mrs. Katherine Mulkey, of Multnomah, as teacher. Alfred Pambrun will have charge of the school bus again this year. Ten pupils have enrolled in District 113.

Leon Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Miss Lois Smith and Mr. Harold Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday at Bingham Springs.

Week end guests at the home of Mrs. Mattie Mitchell were Mr. and Mrs. William Lathrop and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dawes of Seattle. Mr. Dawes and Mrs. Lathrop are cousins of Mrs. Mitchell and A. A. Foss.

The ladies of the M. E. Aid society will hold a cooked food sale tomorrow afternoon at the Eastern Mercantile store. Chicken, cake and good things to eat will be sold. There will also be home made bread for sale.

August Beiner and Mae Russell spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller. They were on their way to their homes at Condon, after a visit in Lewiston, where Mr. Beiner's wife is taking treatments. Mrs. Miller and Mae Russell are sisters.

A. W. Logan former instructor and athletic coach in Athena high school, was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Lo-

gan took the summer course at University of Washington. He will leave his home at Umatilla in a few days for Boston, where he will matriculate at Boston Tech, taking up chemistry.

The new garage for the state highway maintenance department has been completed on the state's property in Athena, and is now being used by the local motor equipment.

Etta, the adopted daughter of F. J. Beale, former resident of Athena, died at a hospital in LaGrande, Monday, aged 20 years. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church in Athena, Tuesday afternoon, and interment took place in the family lot at Athena cemetery.

Mrs. J. A. Creighton of Colfax, who has spent several days in Athena, returned to her home Wednesday. She attended the funeral Tuesday of her little nephew, Jimmy Wagner, who died Monday in Walla Walla. Mrs. Creighton is a daughter of Mrs. A. J. Wagner of this city.

Leonard Geissel and William Coppock who have spent several days at Bingham Springs, where they enjoyed a recreation trip, returned to their homes in Athena Wednesday. Leonard is now employed at the Pure Food Grocery, during the absence of O. O. Stephens, owner, who is on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wilson, and Mrs. Wilson's son, Kendall LaBrasche, were in Athena for a few hours Monday of this week. They returned to their home in Tacoma, by way of Portland. Kendall will graduate this year from Tacoma high school. Mr. Wilson is employed in the machine shops of the Tacoma street railway company.

Miss Ruth Proebstel, who graduated from Monmouth normal school, September 1, was in Athena Saturday, visiting friends. Miss Proebstel who was to have been instructor of music in the Pomeroy, Washington, schools, has resigned and accepted the position of instructor in music of the grade schools at Walla Walla. Her mother accompanied her.

Bill Wheatly and Dal Trapp, young men employed in the construction of the new Watts residence, experienced a thrill in an automobile head-on collision, Monday night, while returning from Walla Walla. Both cars were badly smashed and Wheatly believes he plunged through the windshield. Anyway he was cut on the forehead and bruised on other parts of his anatomy. Trapp got out of it with minor injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Zerba left Wednesday morning accompanied by Mrs. Zerba's mother, Mrs. Charles Stockstill and brother, for Lebanon. Mrs. Stockstill and son have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zerba for some time and are returning home. The party will drive as far as Lebanon on the first day where they will spend a few days with Mrs. Stockstill's sister, Mrs. W. L. Carter. They will then continue on to Grants Pass, the home of Mrs. Stockstill. Mr. and Mrs. Zerba expect to return in a week or ten days.

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International News

Comedy

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Sunday, September 12

James Oliver Curwood's

# The Ancient Highway

With

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Pathe Review

Comedy

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No Shows Wednesday and Saturday,  
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Sunday, September 19

Gloria Swanson in

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Athena, Oregon

**Maine Is Rocked by Quakes.**  
Portland, Me.—An earthquake of considerable intensity, although not so severe as that of a year ago, when virtually all New England was affected, shook part of the state of Maine

### Familiar Line

Just a short time ago they put a new warden into San Quentin and on almost his first day on the job one of the prisoners extended him a slight courtesy which quite delighted the newcomer.

The prisoner happened to be 1890, but when the warden said, "What's your number, my man?" the answer was:

"I never can get it right. It's either 1893, 1895 or 1899."

"My goodness!" exclaimed the warden, "you must have been a telephone operator."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

### His Belief

"Ah, doctor!" greeted Mrs. Pifflegilder. "I should like to ask you a question."

"As many as you like, my dear madame!" gallantly replied old Doctor Pillsbury.

"Well, then, doctor, is profanity equal to medicine for the treatment of rheumatism? My husband seems to think it is."—Kansas City Star.

### The Churches

**M. E. Church**  
Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Theme: Unexplored Mystery. Church school at 10 a. m. Object lesson for the children, The Joys of Giving.

**Baptist Church**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship at 11:00 a. m. Topic, Paul's Christian Marks. Junior and Senior Young People at 5:30 and 6:30 p. m. respectively. Song and Praise service at 7:30 p. m. The Awakening of a Soul. Young Peoples Prayer League every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Mid-week meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. Basket dinner and Sunday School Rally next Sunday at the church. All cordially invited.