

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Patterson & Son for school supplies. Boy Neill, hayrailer of Butter creek, was in the city on Monday. Fred Griffin, farmer of the Lone country, was a visitor in this city on Tuesday. Mike Marshall, sheepman of the Roadman country, was in this city on Tuesday. C. H. Bartholomew, mayor of Pine City, was a business visitor in Heppner on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Howard and Ed Neill were Butter creek residents in this city on Monday. Andy Reaney, farmer and stockman of Lexington, was doing business in this city on Monday. R. E. Patterson, druggist, left for Portland yesterday where he is called on matters of business. David Hynd, of Rose Lawn Ranch, Sand Hollow, attended to business affairs in this city on Tuesday. Dr. A. D. McMurdo went to Portland Monday to be in attendance at a medical meeting in that city this week. Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Robison, of Hardman, were visitors in this city on Friday from their ranch near that place. Patterson & Sons for school books. Miss Mary Notson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Notson, returned to Salem on Tuesday, where she will have employment for the winter. Mrs. Carrie Vaughn left for Cottage Grove, Oregon, on Monday and will take up her home there for a time at least, with her sister, Mrs. Doolittle. The family of Orve Brown departed on Saturday for Pendleton where they expect to reside in the future. Mr. Brown expects to follow them shortly. The Pythian Sisters of Dorian Temple No. 15 will have their regular meeting, Sept. 3. All who can possibly do so please attend. PEARL TASH, M. of R. and C. Chas. Royce, of Spray, who was in Heppner several days during the past week, is the newly appointed postmaster at Spray and his appointment has upon his new duties. The Hardman Garage is again prepared to look after all auto, truck and tractor repairs and the machine shop is now in charge of Jack Turner, a competent machinist. See his announcement in another column. Frank Moore was up from the Willow creek farm for a short time Tuesday forenoon. He has finished his wheat harvest and has the grain in the warehouse, and will sell it just as soon as he finds somebody to spend the money for him. Ed Reitmunn, who farms very much land out north of Lone and is the owner of one of the best ranches in that vicinity, and also spends some time as a director of the John Day Irrigation district, was doing business in Heppner on Monday. Mrs. G. S. Crego, of Watsonville, Cal., arrived last evening and will visit for a couple of weeks with her son, R. E. Crego, local manager of the telephone company. She has been visiting for some time with friends and relatives in Portland. Patterson & Sons for school books. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Rippee, of Big Butte creek, were Heppner visitors on Friday. Tim informed this paper that he expected to go to the mountains right away and stake out a deer. The season opens shortly and he wants to be prepared. Orve Brown has been busy for the past week in putting in a sewer connecting the First National Bank building with Willow creek near the May street bridge. The sewer is for the purpose of carrying the overflow of water from the septic tank at the bank building. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. J. Nys returned home the first of the week from a visit to the Hood River valley, where they enjoyed several days of an outing at Mt. Hood Lodge. Before returning to Heppner they took a run to Portland and down to Astoria on the boat, taking advantage of the cheap rates on the river route. S. P. Wilson is in town from Huntington Beach, California, looking after his business interests here. Drilling for oil is going merrily on adjoining his California property, and he informs the Independent that since coming here he has received a letter stating that five new wells had "come in" since he left a couple of weeks ago. Seymour will yet likely be an oil king—lone Independent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Latrassal and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Robinson, returned Monday evening from an auto trip to the coast country. They spent the time on the beach near Walport and report that it was very fine all the time they were there. Fishing was good in small streams nearby, but the hunting was nil. Charley states, so far as deer were concerned, "there were plenty of signs but just the wrong time of the moon."

W. E. Straight was in from Lena Tuesday and took out a load of cement from the Tum-A-Lum Co. for Percy Hughes. Mr. Hughes is just fixing things up about right around his premises, and from the amount of cement he has been taking out from Heppner he is surely placing his house on a sound foundation. He is making a splendid country home and his improvements are of a substantial nature.

"OUT OF THE STORM" IS PICTURESQUE PLAY

"Out of the Storm" is the latest Eminent Authors series by Gertrude Atherton, America's ablest woman writer. It is adapted from the famous novel, "The Tower of Ivory." When Margaret was discharged from the factory it never occurred to her that there may be other chances in life but the one she had was always brushing against the hard things in life and she left bruised by the contact. The humiliation of her discharge from the factory left her despairing and sick at heart. She wandered through the streets until she found herself standing on the bank of the river. The quiet, soothing lapping of the water seemed to entice her. The endless current ever flowing swiftly down to the sea fascinated the sad eyed girl and she saw in its depths release from the eternal prosecution of life. Margaret hesitated for a moment, and in that short period, fate made her decision, and sent her messenger in the person of Teddy Shale to save Margaret from her meditated death. Teddy offered her a solution of her troubles. In the murky, uncertain atmosphere of a Barbary Coast dive, Margaret danced and sang each night to a hall full of sea-dogs, and men hardened to the finer things of life, and lulled her motley audience into a worshipful silence with her sweet musical voice. Her fame as a singer spread, and the wealthy Albert Levering heard of her and came, one night, to hear her performance. He saw a wonderful future for the girl with such a wonderful voice, if properly developed. He arranged for her instruction, and for two years Margaret was free from the world's monetary worries that she had been used to all her life. But the crash came suddenly and without warning. Her benefactor was arrested as an embezzler. And fate was guiding the threads of this young girl's life with a certain hand as you will see in the latest Eminent Authors picture, "Out of the Storm," which can be seen at the Star theater Sunday evening, Sept. 4.

Patterson & Sons for school books. Notice of Post Office Clerk Examination. The United States Civil Service Commission announces a Post Office Clerk examination, to be held on September 17, 1921, for the purpose of establishing an eligible register from which selections may be made to fill vacancies as may occur in the position of Clerk Post Office service, Heppner, Oregon. Salary, \$1,400.00 per annum. All citizens of the United States who meet the requirements, both men and women may enter this examination; appointing officers, however, have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Age limits, 18 to 45 years on the date of the examination. Age limits do not apply to persons entitled to preference on account of military or naval service. For further information and application blank apply to the Postmaster, Heppner, Oregon; or to the Secretary, Eleventh U. S. Civil Service District, 101 Post Office Building, Seattle, Wash. C. W. PAINE, District Secretary.

Certified Seed in Morrow. Two years ago it was possible to certify for purity of strain only 200 acres of wheat in the entire area of Morrow county. The former county agent commenced vigorously to remedy this condition which, according to the local grain dealers, was costing the farmers from \$10,000 to \$100,000 per year in discounts because of mixed grain. This year, as a result of the clean-seed campaign, 14,000 acres passed inspection, and it is stated that there is approximately 1,000 acres additional which it was impossible to visit—Extension Service News.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McLallen had as guests last Thursday and Friday Mr. and Mrs. William Parkinson of La Grande. Mrs. Parkinson, who was formerly Miss Dehlla Jackson, lived in Enterprise a few years ago and was employed as pianist at the People's theater. She later went to Heppner to fill a similar position in the theater there and met Mr. Parkinson, whom she married in 1915. Mr. Parkinson is a road man and is working at La Grande. Enterprise Record-Chief.

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OLE THE SWEDDE. The possibilities of comedy from up large in a play that is based upon a Swede that has lately come to this country and who finds himself confronted with new and perplexing problems. One can easily imagine the mistakes and blunders made by such a person. When a character like Ole is given to the stage, it is a very easy matter to exaggerate the comedy points, in order to obtain laughs, but no mistake in over doing is made by Dave Williams who plays the part of Ole in the play which comes to the Star theater Monday, September 5. Happy Days, as he is often called by his friends, never for one moment departs from the true to life ideas—and the result is a funny play without any low comedy to mar it. Yes, it has a plot—there is also a villain, a will, a government detective sleuthing around—but they are often lost sight of in the contagion of Ole's side-splitting mistakes, and the ridiculously funny situations in which he finds himself. The public love to laugh and they are readily granted their desire when they see Ole the Swede. Patterson & Son, for school supplies. Only Son Dies. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coxon, formerly residents of this city, will be grieved to learn that their only son, aged six years, died at the home of his parents in Gifford, Idaho, on Saturday, Aug. 29, of diphtheria and was buried in the Gifford cemetery on that evening. The Gifford Herald states that the little boy was not feeling well for a few days but on Friday morning took worse when the local doctor pronounced it diphtheria. A consulting doctor from Lewiston was called but the dreaded disease of children continued to make rapid headway to the end. Mr. and Mrs. Coxon left Morrow county more than a year ago and settled at Gifford, Idaho. This loss of their bright little boy is a very severe blow to them and they have many friends here who will deeply sympathize with them in this hour of sorrow.

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THAT APPROXIMATELY \$700,000,000 is required by the public utility companies of the country to provide service for an additional million inhabitants is one of the interesting facts brought forth in the recently published report of Senator William M. Calder's Committee on Reconstruction and Production. After a searching inquiry into the various conditions bearing upon the housing situation and the country's industrial production, the Committee finds that the business of public utilities has outgrown their plant facilities owing to the inability of the companies to finance improvements and additions necessary to take care of increased service demands. "Prior to the war," states the Committee, "it is estimated that the normal annual requirements of electric railway, gas, and electric light and power companies for extensions, betterments, and improvements was about \$500,000,000, proportioned as follows: electric railways, \$250,000,000; gas companies, \$125,000,000; electric light and power companies, \$125,000,000. The Committee has informed that for four years not over 40 per cent of such betterments has been made, leaving an accumulation of about \$1,200,000,000. If to this sum is added the \$700,000,000 required alone for service to new residential buildings held in abeyance, a total of approximately \$2,000,000,000 seems necessary for the public utility program in the immediate future. "The question of placing these businesses on a sound financial basis in order that credit may flow to them is the same question which confronts steam railroads and housing, but in the case of public utilities the situation is more difficult because there is no central body as now provided in the case of steam railroads which might adjust rates in proper relation to operating costs and capital investment. The utilities likewise suffer in their effort to secure new capital for necessary extensions of service by the almost insurmountable difficulty of having to compete for such capital with municipal, state and similar tax-exempt securities. Until these problems are solved the public should recognize this underlying reason for much of the faulty service and for the failure to provide the additional facilities urgently demanded to meet community needs."—PAID ADV.

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