

For The Chautauqua Camp

Take what you need with you. It will save money and annoyance. Look over your array of toilet articles and preparations and let us supply what is lacking:

Soaps, sponge bags, toilet creams, lotions, headache remedy, antiseptic solution, adhesive plaster, etc., are some things that should not be overlooked in the traveling equipment.

Stationery, post cards, fountain pens, cameras and photo supplies are things to bear in mind also.

We are fully prepared to supply what you need

Red Cross Drug Store

Coming Events

- June 28—Inspection of Hospital Corps, Y. M. C. A. 8 p. m.
- June 27 to July 3 (inclusive)—Grand Ronde Chautauqua, La Grande.
- July 5—Union County Pioneer Association, Chautauqua grounds. All day session.
- July 7—National Education Association in Portland.
- July 14-19—North Pacific Sangerfest, Portland.
- July 13, 14, 15—State Editorial Association at Pendleton.
- July 21-22—"Speed 'em Up" motorcycle and auto races at La Grande.
- August 4 to 10—Buyers' Week in Portland.

AMUSEMENTS.

- Arcade Theatre—Motion pictures.
- Colonial Theatre—Motion pictures.
- Sherry's Theatre—Motion pictures.

LOCALS

And Advertising in Brief

RATES
 Per line, first insertion 10c
 Per line, additional insertion 5c
 Per line, per month \$1.00
 No locals taken for less than 25c
 Count 6 ordinary words to line.

A kodak for 75c, a kodak at almost any price you wish to invest. Either Eastman or Ansco line in all classes and prices at Silverthorn's Family Drug store.—Adv. 6-22-17

Mission Opens Tonight.
The dance hall over Harris' Grocery has been turned into a mission. Open every evening at 7:30 p. m., except Monday, Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. Rev. J. L. Allen in charge. Mission opens tonight.

A Big Special Double Bill.
Pauline Frederick, support by Thomas Meighan in "Sleeping Fires" and Fatty Arbuckle in "A Reckless Romeo," his newest comedy, Friday and Saturday at the Arcade.—Adv. 6-27-2t.

Christian Scientists Get Property.
The local Christian Science society has procured property at the Corner of First street and Washington Ave., where, beginning July 1st, they will hold their Sunday and Wednesday evening services at the usual hours, and, in due time maintain a reading room.

Pure Milk. Phone Red 1971.
The Pure Milk and Cream Co.'s phone is no wRed 1971.—Adv. 6-28-17.

The New Star Barbers.
There are others, good, bad and indifferent. You will note the good when you have your barber work done at the New Star Barbers, next door Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 6-25-17.

Coming, Clara Kimball Young in a big new production.—Arcade Monday and Tuesday.—Adv. 6-28-3t.

Beautiful stationery in boxes or in bulk. Tablets and envelopes, inks, library paste, all may be had at Silverthorn's Family Drug store.—Adv. 6-22-17.

6-1-2 Per Cent Money.
\$30,000 for long term at 6-1-2 per cent interest for loans on Grande Ronde Valley farms. See W. B. Sargent at La Grande Investment Company at once. 2-2-17

New Star Barbers.
When you are in need of a bath, hair-cut, shave, shampoo or face massage and want it done right, don't fail to try the New Star Barbers, next door Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 6-25-17.

"The Price She Paid" starring Clara Kimball Young is a new special production. See it at the Arcade Monday and Tuesday.—Adv. 6-28-3t.

Kodaks, cameras, films developed and printed promptly and perfectly; any information regarding the working of your kodak or camera will be gladly given at Silverthorn's Family Drug store.—Adv. 6-22-17.

"A Reckless Romeo."
A comedy that has never been seen here before, "A Reckless Romeo" with the big fat funmaker, Fatty Arbuckle. Arcade Friday and Saturday.—Adv. 6-27-2t.

KAMELA NEWS ITEMS.

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dance given Saturday night in the hall and all reported a fine time. Good music was furnished by J. S. Rose and son.

Those attending from Meacham were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haws, Mrs. Chief, Miss Rhoda Mangers and Jack Casey.

City Manager Makes His Report

Herewith my report for the week ending June 27, 1917:
* Fire chief reports no fires, but reports glasses broken from two alarm boxes.

Chief of police reports 14 arrests, fines and forfeitures to the amount of \$103 and two men still in jail charged with carrying concealed weapons.

Street superintendent for the two weeks ending June 23, 1917, reports an expenditure of \$199.25, this includes sprinkling, hauling gravel, repairs to crosswalks, flushing and cleaning streets.

As water superintendent he reports an expense of \$69; \$14.27 cost of testing out tin sewer connections, \$5.75 reading meters, \$28.85 lowering freeze-ups, \$17.25 cleaning meters. Penalty list \$2.88.

City recorder reports as follows:
Receipts—
Building permits \$ 1.00
Fines 110.50
Dog licenses 2.00
Total \$113.50

No disbursements.
Warrants issued—
Contingent fund \$1000.00
Road fund 39.44

Following is report of treasurer:
Receipts—
Water \$ 72.50
Interest 83.71
Installments 338.46
Elec. permits50
License 25.00

Total receipts \$520.17
Disbursements—
Warrants contingent fund \$1000.00
Warrants water fund 403.40
Warrants road fund 245.44
Coupons 246.81

Total disbursements \$1695.65
Commissioners Palmer and Brown, water superintendent and General Manager Currey visited the intake and dam Sunday, June 24, 1917, and found it necessary to drain sifting basin above intake in order to remove boulders and gravel which washed down during the recent high water, covering drain pipe and backing against screens in such a way as to require immediate attention. Water Superintendent Hoyt and two men are at present at intake making necessary changes. While these changes are being made it has been necessary to cut off water from Beaver creek. Have instructed water users to be economical as possible and to refrain from irrigation for a few days. Also advised the O. W. R. & N. Co. to use their own water supply until further notice. Joe Woods has relieved Caretaker Deal at intake and is now residing at intake house.

Yours truly,
FRED B. CURREY,
General Manager.

Whether Or No.
The only light that ever dawns on some men is daylight.—Old Man Sage.

The tread of an automobile tire invented by an Englishman is made of small pieces of steel, so set into the rubber that the latter does not touch the ground.

A tool that unrolls a roll of paper and spreads it with paste as it is passed over a wall has been invented to enable amateurs to do their own paper hanging.

There are more than 5000 electric light companies now serving the public in the United States.

Society and Personal

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Social and club news for this department should be given to the Observer by phone or otherwise, during the forenoon. Such news turned in after 12 o'clock, noon, will frequently have to be held for publication the following day.

P. L. Lilly, of Joseph, is at the Sommer.

C. J. Hazen, of Huntington, is at the Foley.

Mrs. Frank Conley, of Cove, is registered at the Savoy.

Mrs. A. M. Runnels, of Joseph, is staying at the Sommer.

E. S. Platts and C. C. Cox, of Baker, are staying at the Foley.

Roy E. Phillips and Brent Sturgill are staying at the Foley.

P. N. Stephenson and wife, of Wallowa, are registered at the Savoy.

Joseph visitors at the Savoy are: D. H. Burrows and A. J. Galbrith.

E. W. Eastman has moved his law office to the West-Jacobson building.

Miss Regina Weil, of San Francisco, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Ash.

Robert S. French and wife and Ada Geer, of Cove, are registered at the Foley.

Lostine residents registered at the Savoy are: Carrie Van Pelt and W. W. Winings.

Mrs. A. L. Rice, of Enterprise, registered at the Imperial hotel, Portland, Tuesday.

Zack Chandler brought his first berries in this morning from his Fruitdale ranch.

G. M. Jasper and family and W. E. Gardner and family, of Freewater, are at the Savoy.

J. M. Berry, of Portland, a former La Grande merchant is visiting his daughter Mrs. M. K. Hall.

From Elgin the following are at the Foley: J. Graham and wife, H. L. Graham and E. B. Greiner.

The following are registered at the

Savoy from Enterprise: Mrs. Frank Rogers, D. French and F. Millard.

Among the registrations at the Savoy are Mr. and Mrs. Buher, of Pendleton, and Peter Wall, of Union.

James Johns and wife, Helen Johns, Mary Johns and Bert Rigers from Richland are staying at the Sommer.

Joseph R. Whitby, late of La Grande, has enlisted in the engineer corps of the United States army at Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Leavitt have returned from a two weeks vacation trip, visiting relatives in Tacoma and Seattle.

Leslie Starba left Tuesday night on No. 18 for Rupert, Idaho, to visit his grandmother Mrs. Tout for the balance of the summer.

Mr. Bollons, T. J. Scroggin, G. L. Larison, Dr. Bouvy and Roscoe Duncan left today in Mr. Bollons' private car for a fishing trip.

Chief of Police Rayburn has returned from Portland where he has been in attendance at the gun club meet. J. A. Christiansen has been acting chief during the absence of the chief.

Mrs. Frank O'Hare and son, who have been visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Donnelly, left this morning for a short visit in Pendleton and Portland and then will go to their home in Potola, California.

Mrs. A. Thomas, of Pendleton, is in the city, having attended the Women of Woodcraft convention. Mrs. Thomas left La Grande six weeks ago to take up her residence in Pendleton, and she is finding her visit very pleasant here renewing acquaintances with old friends.

Rev. J. J. Tickner this morning fraternized with Rev. James Whitcombe Brougher, the evangelist who spoke at Chautauqua last night, and saw him off at this morning's west bound train, where he also met Rev. Billy Sunday and wife, who were on the way to Hood River and the four had a very pleasant chat together.

F. L. Robinson, Oscar Humphries and Jessie Graves all leave for Portland tomorrow night where they intend to spend a few days before going to Salt Lake City where they will join the forty-third infantry band at Fort Douglas. All the boys are well known in La Grande and their many friends wish them success.

MT. EMILY NOTES.

Snow Still Persists—Patriotic Celebration Is Suggested—Beauty, Collie Dog Dies—Jim Fitzgerald Is Busy.

Mt. Emily, June 26.—(Special)—There has been a "big drive" going on up here for some time. The sun is driving out the snow and is gradually driving it from hill to hill and from ridge to ridge. The snow is making a determined stand and may hold the topmost summits until after the sun's fury is spent and he will need several months of rest before he can again assume the offensive. Where the timber is heavy there are still drifts three and four feet high. The road is clear of snow up to the south line of the Forest Reserve but from there to the summit there are large patches of it. It is so firmly packed that men and horses can walk right over it. Huckleberries are in bloom in spots while a few feet away they may be covered by several feet of snow. It will take much sunshine and warm weather to mature them now. The season will be much later than usual.

Perhaps a patriotic celebration in line with war-time ideas could be staged up here on the Fourth of July. There could be a sham battle with snowballs as ammunition. This would be an inexpensive matter and would leave valuable ammunition to be used to better purpose. Trenches could easily be imitated too and the "heat of battle" would not be likely to reach a stage where atrocities would be committed. These unfortunates who in the haste and excitement of leaving for the seat of war, would forget to take a lunch along with them, could still have plenty of snowball soup and wind pudding to fill up on. They could then easily imitate the sick and wounded and give the hospital corps a little practice.

The waterfall a short distance below the Blumenstein cabin has been "speeding up" (or down) lately. It may be seen from far out in the valley if one knows where to look for it but must be seen from near-by to be appreciated. It only lasts until the supply of snow water is at an end.

"Beauty," the Collie dog owned by J. H. Blumenstein for about 10 years, died recently. He was probably accidentally poisoned. He was an unusually fine looking and intelligent dog. He was photographed scores of times by people on trips to the top of Mt. Emily. He was very good-natured and a special favorite of women and children.

Jim Fitzgerald is busy hauling wood from the Kaelin place. That is

Letters From The Front

(Letter from Vinton Forbes, of La Grande, who is at U. S. Naval Training Station, San Francisco, Calif., care Hospital Corps, to his mother Mrs. L. C. Forbes.)

Dear Mother:—I will try and describe a little navy life to give the fellows at home an idea of what it is like.

When you reach San Francisco you go to the dock and take a government tug for Goat Island. Here you are sent to the recruiting office, where you are put through an examination and issued navy clothes and outfits. All civilian clothes must be sent back but such articles as stationery, watches and jewelry can be kept. After receiving his supply of clothes the recruit is sent to what is known as D Barracks, a sort of detention camp, or if he is a hospital apprentice he will probably be sent to the hospital school for training. The recruit is safe guarded against disease as much as possible; therefore he is given a vaccination and three shots of serum in the arm at intervals of about a week apart.

The food in the navy is the best that can be obtained and is probably better than in any other branch of the service. Ice cream, pies, cakes and berries make up the dessert along with plenty of good meat and vegetables.

The first week of the service will perhaps be trying to the nerves of the "rookie" and he will probably be homesick, but as he makes acquaintances and that long-looked for shore leave begins to draw near he will begin to like it if he has any red blood in his veins.

The classes for study begin at nine o'clock and last until twelve, when the classes are dismissed for dinner and taken up in the afternoon from one until four. Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday are shore leave days and the sailor is allowed to go ashore and see the sights if his conduct has been good.

Altogether it is a great old life. I am not in the least sorry that I enlisted and would like to see more of the boys from our home town here. There are a few here but not many and I hope there will be more soon.

Awaiting a long letter from you, I remain,
Your loving son,
VINTON.



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about as far up as the road is dry enough for heavy hauling. There is much demand for the dry pole wood that is to be had up here and later on hundreds of cords will reach town from this section.

"Speed 'Em Up."

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representing the Green Taxi line was present at a meeting of the directors last night and it was decided that the licensed taxis should charge fifty cents and should also carry a card stating their price. The association will install booths for the sale of the twenty-five cent fares and handle the entire sale themselves while the licensed taxis will handle their own business.

The directors were out on the track this morning and gave a genial smile of approval at the appearance of the speedway but after climbing to the top of the grand-stand and imagining the track packed down first with a slight rain—yes it is going to rain just a little—and later with oil their smile changed to a loud guffaw. The oiling of the speedway is not imagination either; the oil is ordered and at the top of the first gun it will have long past been a part of the track and the spectators can sit in peace with a clear view of the flying motorcycles or autos as they make their world records.

The next few days will see a big change in conditions around the speedway. The drag is already at work packing the ground in preparation for the rain and oil. A score board and judges stand will soon be under construction. And also let it be known that the free sight-seeer will be a disappointed seer this year as his view of the races will be obstructed by a wall canvas one-sixth of a mile long. It is estimated that last year about 100 cars arranged themselves outside the grounds on a stretch of road on the opposite end of the field from the grand-stand and refused to pay admittance. They may take the same position this year but the directors do not guarantee them such a good view as last year.

The question of attendance came up last night and from the reports given there seems to be no doubt about a crowd bigger than ever before. Seattle and Tacoma are arranging for a special train and expect to be here in force. Roscoe Neal, the race man-

ager, is working on a special train out of Portland and the prospects are not even doubtful. To awaken the sister towns a series of booster trips have been planned. Wallowa is first on the list and "pep" and spirit of La Grande will become a part of the citizens of said city on next Monday when the booster gang arrives. July 4th a strong delegation will go to Baker to celebrate and incidentally to tell the speedsters there how much faster they travel at the "Speed 'Em Up." Walla Walla and Pendleton will be made on the 6th and 7th of July.

Fred J. Holmes, president of the Commercial club, has promised the association that the Commercial club would take over the matter of street decoration and handle the street dance in the evening. This is a load off the shoulders of the association and they are indeed grateful for the help. Announcements regarding decorated cars and prizes will be made later.

Ernest E. Vehrs was appointed to arrange the Red Cross work and see that some first aid cars are on hand. Mr. Vehrs was also appointed official announcer. Roy Green was granted the program concessions.

College Women Needed.

New York, June 28.—(Special)—The war crisis has brought an urgent call for college women in the field of nursing. The rush of nurses to Europe, which is steadily increasing since this country's entry into the struggle, has drawn hundreds of the most highly trained and skilled professional nurses from American hospitals and from the homes of the sick poor here. The nursing profession feels that the situation has reached a serious crisis and to meet it an emergency committee on nursing has been found with Miss Ella Phillips Crandall, of the national organization for public health nursing as secretary.

As a first step this committee has arranged with several high class schools of nursing to give a year of credit to college women who have taken a certain number of hours in science. Letters have been sent to the heads of all the women's colleges in the country explaining this offer and asking for a list of this year's graduates in order that they may be circulated. The committee is also organizing a campaign among this year's high school graduates.