

**Red Cross Drug Store**

**THE KODAK STORE**

**Coming Events**

July 14-19—North Pacific Sangerfest, Portland.  
 July 18—Dance at Rex Hall for the benefit of La Grande Hospital unit.  
 July 20—Wrestling match at Arcade theatre, O'Neill vs. Thye.  
 July 21-22—"Speed 'em Up" motorcycle and auto races at La Grande.  
 July 23—Coming in person, Myrtle Stedman at Speed 'em Up and Arcade Theatre.  
 August 4 to 10—Buyers' Week in Portland.

**AMUSEMENTS.**  
 Arcade Theatre—Motion pictures.  
 Colonial Theatre—Motion pictures.  
 Sherry's Theatre—Motion pictures.

**LOCALS & 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.

Dance at Zuber Hall every Wednesday and Saturday nights. 6-18tf

A big reduction at Kirtley's on the clothing you need NOW.—Adv. 7-16-2t

**Money to Loan.**  
 On improved real property in Union county, no delays, current rates. La Grande Investment Co.—Adv.

J. L. Mars, real estate and rent agent buys and moves house. Prices talk.—Adv. 6-7-tf.

Many Left—Hundreds of fine bargains are still to be had at Kirtley's sale.—Adv. 7-16-2t

**Great Wortham Show**

Will Exhibit In **LA GRANDE**

One Week Commencing **MONDAY, JULY 23**

**Attractions Diversified And Up-To-Date**

Animal Show  
 Monkey Auto Races  
 Arabian Nights  
 Neptune's Daughter.  
 The Miracle  
 Top O' World  
 Gowdy's Museum  
 Honey Moon Trail  
 Wonderland  
 Follies of Life  
 High Life  
 Igorotte Village  
 Spidora  
 Hattie  
 The Whip  
 Carousel  
 Ferris Wheel  
 And Others

**FREE BAND CONCERTS WORTHAM BAND**

**20- ALL NEW -20 SHOWS -20**

**THE "JOY ZONE"**  
 Will be on the **CIRCUS GROUNDS**

**Letters From the Front.**  
 The Observer would like to receive "letters from the front" from the boys who have volunteered in the army, navy, marine corps or other branches of Uncle Sam's service.—Adv. 6-8-tf.

**Second Hand Furniture.**  
 We pay best prices for second hand furniture. DYAL'S FURNITURE CO., 404 Fir St., Phone Black 8851.—Adv. 12-4-tf

Bathing caps, new designs—all colors just arrived. Prices from 25c to \$1 at Silverthorn's.—Adv. 7-10-tf

**Singer Sewing Machine.**  
 New and second-hand machines sold on easy terms. No interest. Repair work a specialty on all machines.—Chas. M. Shapland, agent, New Foley Bldg. Phone Black 1051.—Adv. 1-17tf

**Not Too Late.**—The wonderful reductions in ladies' clothing is still in effect—at Kirtley's.—Adv. 7-16-2t.

**Dance at Zuber Hall every Wednesday and Saturday nights.** 6-18tf

Fresh fruits, cantaloupe sundae, sherbets and ice cream at Silverthorn fountain.—Adv. 7-10-tf.

**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-tf

**Pure Milk, Phone Red 1971.**  
 The Pure Milk and Cream Co.'s phone is now Red 1971.—Adv 6-28-tf.

**The Observer On Sale.**  
 When in Portland you will find The Observer on sale at the Oregon Hotel news stand and Imperial Hotel.

**Consolid.**—She came to Kirtley's sale discouraged with the high cost of living, and went away a happy woman—her problem solved.—Adv 7-16-2t.

**Mail For Guardsmen.**  
 The army requests that mail for members of the Twentieth National Guard camp, Palo Alto, be addressed to Menlo Park, Calif. The words "Palo Alto Training camp" should be in the address.

**SCREENS FOR WINDOWS**  
 Made to order at reasonable prices. Red 3521, C. J. Matthies.

**FRENCH SOLDIERS SENDING THANKS FOR "TUCK BAGS"**  
 BY W. S. FORREST.

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)  
 Paris, June 25.—(By Mail)—Gare du Nord, is the great railroad station of Paris through which American troops will pass on their way to and from the front. General Pershing and his staff had their first glimpse of Paris through its big front door.  
 Otherwise it is the happiest and saddest place in the French metropolis. The happiness is made in America. The sadness is, of course, the war.

If the American women could see the results of the handy bags they sew and send to France and the money they collect in America to cheer the soldiers at the Gare du Nord they would feel justly compensated for every cent and every hour of work.

In a great hall in the basement of the station French poilus gather to be entertained by vaudeville artists and to have luncheon furnished by Madame Couicol, a benevolent French woman who assures America that American soldiers will be just as welcome. The men are leaving for the front—passing back to the firing line.

When the luncheon is finished the work of tens of thousands of American women is handed to the soldiers by kindly faced American women in Paris doing the work of the American fund for French wounded. These include Mrs. Mary Beech Needham, wife of the late famous American writer and Miss Brent of Chicago. Hundreds of "tuck bags" sewed and provisioned in every state of America are handed to the eager poilus.

Big strong men, who know that know within twenty-four hours they will be back fighting death in the firing line almost weep and bless the American women. The bags contain what-nots of every description—needles, thread, soap, towels, tooth brushes and paste and hundreds of things that cheer men cursed with almost three years of war.

On the night the French Poilu received his first message direct from General Pershing and was introduced to the American officer, the United Press saw what kindly American women were doing to cheer the soldiers of France. Captain N. E. Margetts, Aide-de-Camp to General Pershing and Major Churchill, of the General staff, represented the American army. Four hundred and fifty poilus cheered the American officers and American women until their throats were tired.  
 "Vive l' Amerique," "Vive le General Pershing" "vive la France," came from all the 450 throats. "Vive Everybody," shouted one old poilu after the others had finished. Cap-

tain Margetts told the soldiers in slow careful French that General Pershing, like all America, admired them for the valorous fight they had made for nearly three long years. "We are with you until the finish," Captain Margetts said. General Pershing asks you to continue the struggle until the American comrades arrive and fight by your side."

Then came the American "tuck bags." Eagerly uniformed arms reached for the treasures. Seemama Elie, a big handsome blond Zouave, who has been through hells of fire dozens of times, wrote his name on a slip of paper and asked the United Press to thank Miss Ruth Fryling, Concorde, North Carolina, for the bag she sent "to some unknown soldier." He cannot use the two boxes of face powder but he'll send them to a girl he knows, while he'll enjoy the other things the bag contained. Elie wrote his "front" address as follows: Seemama Elie, de Zouave, Compagnie Mitralleurs dude,—Bataillon—Sector Postal 131." Katheryn H. Shay, 814 South University street, Ann Harbor, Mich., pitched her tuck bag across the ocean into the arms of Simon Schaukroun, another young French Zouave who thankfully penned his address, "Gem Spahis Lemarche, ler Section de Mitralleurs, Sector Postal 68." There was joy in the eyes of Rogue Joseph, a young soldier of many campaigns when he pulled the name of Miss Helen Eaglesfield, 1852 North Pennsylvania street, Indianapolis, from his tuck bag. He didn't mind letting Miss Eaglesfield know his address. Georges Guinard, 36em d'infanteries, Compagnies Hors Rang, Sector Postal 98, received the bag sent by Miss Mattie Norton, of the American fund for French wounded, Louisville, Ky.

A bag sent by Miss Emily Warner, 74 Oak street, N. Y., fell to a handsome young poilu who said he would write to her direct from the trenches. The fame of the "tuck bag" has spread on the French battle front. Over 60,000 have already been delivered at the Gare du Nord and thousands more are to come to American soldiers as well as French, say the American workers in Paris.

**Personal And Society**

**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.

Miss Eva Harris was united in marriage with Walter W. Gardner, of Jamestown, N. Y., last evening. Rev. Chas. E. Edwards officiated at the ceremony which was a simple-home affair, only Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels were also present. Mrs. Daniels is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

Mr. Gardner is an employee of the O.-W. R. & N. Mrs. Gardner has also been an employee of the O.-W. R. & N. for the past four years, resigning only a short time ago. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner leave today on their honeymoon. They will go to Portland and the coast cities. It is not known just when they will return but their expectations are to make La Grande their permanent home.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of J. A. Oliver last evening at 8:30 o'clock when Lula Jackson, the daughter of Mr. Oliver was united in marriage with Charles Baxter. Rev. H. L. Ford performed the ceremony.

Mr. Baxter is a contractor in the city and a man of good standing. The couple will live in their home on Jefferson street.

C. C. Pratt, of Cove, is at the Savoy.

W. J. Henry, of Elgin, is at the Sommer.

C. E. Blanchard, of Imbler, is at the Savoy.

Floyd Maxwell, of Union, is staying at the Sommer.

J. H. Ferrill, of Lostine, is registered at the Sommer.

Mrs. E. A. Searle, of Wallowa, is staying at the Foley.

Edna Williams and H. A. Fix, of Wallowa, are at the Sommer.

C. H. Breck and R. D. Carter, of Baker, are registered at the Foley.

Wallace Monteith and Dick Gallows, of Wallowa, are at the Savoy.

Miss Zilpha Funk, of Enterprise, was the guest of Mrs. I. U. Temple at Pendleton last week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Graham and Miss Bertha Walsinger motored to Wallowa Lake and spent Sunday there.

Floyd McKennon was in from Alice today. He says that a good deal of his grain is badly burned and that the rain—if it comes is almost too late. His sheep have good pasture though which is a consolation.

**Seasonable Wearing Apparel for the Hot Weather**



You'll find the best selection here—and as usual, the very lowest prices on first quality merchandise in every department of this R. C. U. store. Never was there a year when the saving through our buying power with America's greatest buying organization was more apparent than during this year when costs of raw materials are steadily advancing and most stores are compelled to either lower their quality or raise the price.

You will not find the quality lowered at this store—but you will always find the best possible values—and more for your money in each of our five big departments.

We invite your inspection and comparison of both quality and prices—That's the first step in becoming a permanent Golden Rule Customer.

**The GOLDEN RULE Co.**  
 Quality the same—Prices less

La Grande's R. C. U. Store

George Huntington Currey, publisher of the Malheur Enterprise, who was elected vice president of the State Editorial association, spent Sunday in the city and returned to his home at Vale this morning by auto, accompanied by George Grow, editor of the Juntura Times. Mrs. Currey, who has been visiting here since Chautauqua will not return until after Speed 'Em Up.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carpenter arrived in the city Sunday and are spending a few days with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter are former residents of the city. Mr. Carpenter before leaving here was employed by N. K. West & Co., while Mrs. Carpenter had a position with the Observer.

Mr. Turner, of the Triangle Film Corporation of Seattle, was a visitor in the city last night.

John Meyer, of Salem, drove up in his car yesterday bringing with him his whole family. He brought back with him his son and Russell Fields, both of whom are members of Company M.

Assistant Superintendent Corbett went right through with the members of the Editorial Association on their trip to Wallowa Lake. Jim says he can't see that the editors are any different from railroad men or other folks. They looked to him just like ordinary human beings out on a lark. He looked after the operating of the special train and H. W. Hicks looked after the passengers' comfort on the special train. Everything moved off without a hitch and Mr. Corbett and Mr. Hicks both received many compliments on the way the train was handled and its splendid equipment. Mr. Corbett refused to permit any Pullman cars of the vintage of '58' in the train and the observation car on the rear was strictly up-to-date. There were all kinds of refreshments on board, grape juice flowed like wine and the ladies were all entertained in President Farrell's private car with ice cream, cake and other refreshments. There were also cigars for the men to burn. Mr. Corbett was rather tired after he got through the trip but enjoyed himself hugely, especially at Wallowa Lake.

**NEW TODAY**

FOR TRADE—A 4-room house and 3 lots in Wallowa town. Valued at \$1200.00, for town property in La Grande. Phone Black 3661. 7-17-2t

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms close in. 2001 Second. Phone Red 3112. 6-17-tf

FOR SALE—A dandy going business for small capital, doing \$25 up to

side Park, which he considers a very delightful spot for community affairs. He also congratulates them on the fact that they have a live, up-to-date newspaper. Mr. Putnam would not talk politics. His relations are still friendly with the governor and there is nothing in the gossip that there was any friction between them.

**FEAR OF GERMAN SPIES AGAIN GRIPPING GOTHAM**

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shot edged away from the speaker and began to whisper suspiciously among themselves. A little while before a Riverside Drive policeman, chatting with a passing resident, said that troop ships were lying in the Hudson and that 100,000 soldiers were ready to sail from New York. By the time this surmise had passed around the listener's circle, the members of the group had it from inside sources that the police force was honey-combed with spies.

As a matter of fact, spies there are and spies there will continue to be in this center of national information despite all precautions, though doubtless these precautions should be redoubled and the evil reduced to a practical minimum. European countries whose governments are past-masters in spy-hunting, swarm with successful agents of enemy powers. Far better suffer an occasional setback through spying, than that innocent citizens of German origin suffer from an outburst of spy-mad, mob frenzy.

**The Pinery**

Minam, Oregon.  
**GOOD FISHING**  
 Tents, Beds and Saddle Horses for Rent. Pack trains to all remote points  
**Guides Furnished**  
 Farmers Phone 38F

**Harness Shop**

Tents, Wagon Covers, Canvas, Rope, Leg Aprons, Cruisers Pack Bags, Sailor or Dunnage Bags, Stockmen's Bed Sheets, Sleeping Bags, Folding Water Buckets, Army Duck Leggings, Leather Leggings.

**T. M. Shannon's**  
 Adams Avenue La Grande, Ore.

**THE NEW STAR BARBER SHOP**

The one place in town where quality and up-to-date service in Barber Work counts. Our slogan, Star Quality Service must be maintained

Next Door Levy-Vogel Drug Co.

\$50 per day. \$1200 terms, \$1100 cash; long lease. Address Box 369, La Grande, Ore.—Adv. 7-15-tf.

FOR SALE—Good horse, single harness and light hack. B. V. Bassott. Phone Red 1991. 6-17-2t

FOR SALE—Baby buggy and rocking chairs. In good condition.—1914 Second, corner Adams.—Adv. 7-17-3tp.

FOR SALE—Here is an absolute snap. Worth more than twice the price: 1080 acres 7 1-2 miles from Elgin, improvements on place cost \$6000, about 7,000,000 feet saw timber, 700 acres can be cleared and cultivated. One of the finest stock ranches in Eastern Oregon. Four large springs and three creeks on place. Price \$15,000, 1-2 cash. For particulars write or see Chas. O. Braham, Box 657, La Grande, Or.—Adv. 7-17-tf.

FOR SALE—16 inch electric fan at 25 per cent discount slightly used.—Nash's Electric Store.—Adv. 7-17-1t.

WANTED—Young woman typewriter and stenographer. Address Employer, care Observer, in own handwriting. High school education necessary.—Adv. 7-17-tf.

G. H. Rush, Miss Violet Rush and Miss Gladys Taylor of La Grande are visit in Baker.