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Personal Mention

Mrs. S. U. Evans went to Weston this morning for a short visit.

Dora Wallace returned to her home in Lewiston, Idaho, this morning after a five months' stay here.

Rev. S. M. Roberts, of the Methodist church south, went to Portland this morning for several days.

Mrs. L. Whiteside and little niece, Lois Mulholland, went to Wallowa this morning for a short visit with the Jas. Minnaugh family.

Miss Helen Cleaver returned to her home in Imbler this morning after ten days' visit with her sister, Marvel Robbins, of Walla Walla.

Mrs. F. A. Leavitt, of Walla Walla, returned to her home this morning after several days here at the Grant Wilson home.

Mrs. Joy McLaughlin and Elizabeth Grider, of Portland, are here visiting relatives.

Claude Busick, of the Union Drug Co., Union, is in town today on business.

Mae Stevens and Mrs. Tom Peach returned this morning from Hot Lake.

Rev. H. L. Ford, of the Christian church, who has been at Enterprise for several weeks, is expected back Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Brown and daughter, Lillie, went to Union last night for several days' visit with Mrs. Brown's parents.

Private Roy Whiteaker, who was left in The Dalles Monday afternoon as L company came through, because he visited too long with friends, has rejoined the company here.

AUTO STAGE

Leaves Red Cross Drug Store
7 a. m. 5:30 p. m.
1 p. m. 9:45 p. m.

Leaves Hot Lake
8 a. m. 6:30 p. m.
2 p. m. 10:30 p. m.

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Back on Job—Win Bunker, of Hug Bros. Grocery, is back to work again after a couple of days' illness.

Will Visit in Joseph—Mrs. Percy Smith, of Albany, went through to Joseph this morning to visit about two weeks with her mother and other relatives. Mrs. Smith is a sister of the late Olen Reel who was drowned in the Snake River a short time ago.

Will Visit Parents At Weston—Mrs. D. Miller, of Albany, Oregon, who has been visiting her two daughters here, Mrs. A. Stephenson and Mrs. E. A. Riggs, went on to Weston this morning where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Reeves. Mr. Reeves is now ninety-seven years of age and is hale and hearty.

Go To Portland to School—Misses Anna and Eva Elescke went to Portland this morning where they will attend school this winter.

Return From Trip—J. E. Clark, chief clerk of Div. Engr. Lyons of the O.-W., and family returned yesterday from a two weeks' vacation spent at Salem and on the coast.

Visiting in La Grande—Joe Williamson and wife are down from their ranch near Durkee and will spend a few days here with Mr. Williamson's father J. T. Williamson.

Return From Mountains—Postmaster and Mrs. E. E. Bragg, also Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Luper returned last evening from several days' outing in the mountains. They brought back a nice lot of huckleberries.

Returns From Visit to Sister—Verna Mayfield returned to her home in Elgin this morning after a two days visit here with her sister, Lola, who is in the Hospital following an operation for appendicitis. Miss Lola expects to be able to return home the end of the week.

Returns From Idaho—Mrs. Chas. Denny returned last night from Caldwell, Idaho, where she has been visiting relatives for the last three weeks.

School Teacher on Way to Imnaha—Esther Plank, of Woodburn, Oregon, went through here this morning on her way to Imnaha where she will take up her duties as school teacher next Monday.

Will Teach At Joseph—Florence Walker, of Independence, Oregon, went to Joseph this morning where she will teach in the grade school.

To Teach At Enterprise—Allie Braughton, of Cove, went to Enterprise this morning where she will begin her duties as teacher at Chico next Monday morning.

Will Go East to School—W. E. Lefel, of Joseph, and his daughter, Anna, who is spending her vacation here from North Manchester, Ind., returned to Joseph this morning after a two weeks' outing on the coast. Miss Lefel expects to be back east again by November first so that she may enter college.

Farewell Reception—The young people of Island City are giving a farewell reception at the Union church there Friday evening in honor of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Armstrong, who leaves some time next week for Salem where Rev. Armstrong will attend the Willamette University this winter.

Private E. Stanley Evans has been detailed by Captain Staffin as office assistant to Secretary King at the Y. M. C. A. during company L's stay in the city. Private Evans is also librarian of company L.

Many of the men of the company, including Captain Staffin, enjoyed the "Y's" hospitality Tuesday. After the trip from Clackamas Monday afternoon and night, the baths and swimming pool, placed at the disposal of the men on Tuesday and Friday after-

noons, from 3:30 to 5, were popular places.

Improving Rapidly—Miriam Walker, who was operated upon at the Grande Ronde Hospital Tuesday is making good progress. Her father, E. Walker of Portland, arrived here Monday and will remain with his daughter until she is entirely beyond danger.

Idaho Crops Better Than Expected—E. L. Smith, of Boise, representing the National Cash Register Co., is in town for a few days and says that wherever he has been the farmers report crops better than they expected. The merchants, he says, are also reporting good business.

In La Grande on Business—Mr. Polot, superintendent of the Eastern Oregon Mills at Enterprise, spent yesterday in La Grande.

On Trip to Portland—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Specht leave today in their car for Portland after a ten days' visit here with Mrs. Specht's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Neill.

Austin Brownell in France—Word has been received that Austin Brownell, formerly of La Grande now of Co. F., 18th Engineers, has arrived safely in France. He had a nice trip over and was not seasick.

Will Inspect Road—Div. Engr. H. L. Lyons, of the O.-W. left last night on No. 5 for Pendleton where he will meet Supt. Bollons, who is making an inspection tour of the road in his private car.

La Grande Has Oriental Visitor—Dong Sung Kim, of Songdo, Korea, a student of American life and author of "Oriental Impressions in America" stopped off in La Grande today on his way to Seattle where he will take the steamer for his home. Mr. Kim, who has spent a number of years in different colleges in the United States, including two years at the Ohio University, carries with him two books in which he has the autographs of many noted men and women of the country. On the list appear the names of "Billy" Sunday, Irvin Cobb, Walt Mason and Booth Tarkington. Mr. Kim is 27 years old and has spent eight years traveling in the United States. He expects to teach school in his own country.

Home Demonstration Agent Here—Miss May Murphy, of Portland, arrived here last night and will make her headquarters here. She is a graduate of the Oregon Agricultural College and is to be a Home Demonstration Agent for Union, Umatilla and Baker Counties, with headquarters here and office in connection with County Agriculturist Paul Spillman. These agencies are being formed throughout the state for the extension work in food conservation as provided for by an act of Congress and the U. S. department of agriculture, and directed by the extension service of the O. A. C. She will assist in food conservation and work with the committees in this territory. Anyone interested can get in touch with her at Paul Spillman's office in the postoffice building. Miss Anna Turley, of the extension service, of the O. A. C. is here helping get Miss Murphy located. Miss Turley leaves tonight for Corvallis, and from there will commence the work in southern Oregon. At present she is state leader of the home demonstration agents of which there are now seven in the state just beginning the work. They both go to Union this afternoon to meet with some of the committees there.

Portland Attorney Visits—C. E. Cochran, O.-W. R. & N. Company attorney, at Portland, is visiting here with his family this week, at the home of his brother, Water Superintendent George T. Cochran, and this morning went to Union on legal business.

Baseball Team Being Organized—A baseball team is being organized, said team to play the soldiers Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Fair Grounds. More players are wanted, and a meeting will be held at the Fair Grounds tomorrow evening at 6:30 to which every baseball player in La Grande is urged to be present.

Messenger Boy Injured—While delivering a message this morning, Charley Mulkey, one of the Western Union messenger boys, ran into an auto and was quite seriously injured. He was riding along on X ave. on a bicycle, and when he started to cross Greenwood, he suddenly found himself in front of an auto. He tried to turn his wheel out of the way, but it skidded throwing him between and under the front wheels of the car. The lady who was driving the car

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Letters From The Front

The following letter has been received by Mrs. C. E. Happersett from her son, Sydney, who is in the Hospital Unit:

Clackamas, Aug. 23, 1917.
Dear Mother: The dish towels duly received and are surely appreciated by the fellows, the only trouble is that every fellow is supposed to keep care of his own mess kit and that requires a drying cloth. So while the 72 are appreciated, there are a few of the boys who are out of luck

inson. Lots 13 and 14, block 138, Chaplin's Ad.

\$100—V. E. Daniels, et ux to John and Elva Hammond. W 1-2 NE 1-4, SE 1-4 NW 1-4 and NE 1-4 SW 1-4, of Sec. 27-58-37.

leaves all claims and demands of S. A. Pursell. SW 1-4 SE 1-4 Sec. 34-48-40.

\$100—W. J. Church, et ux, to W. D. Grandy, 1-2 int. in SW 1-4 Sec. 24-38-38 (Corrects former deed reciting said land in Range 39.)

\$100—H. B. Pattison, et ux to J. D. McKennon. SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Sec. 9-18-38.

\$500—J. F. O'Bryant and M. H. Hansen to James A. Pilcher. Re- every kind claimed against said Pilcher.

and still have no cloths, so I am writing to you to see if you can't raise about a dozen or more as soon as possible. Parcel post is the surest and best way to send anything smaller than a piano to us at all times.

If the girls could have seen the line-up tonight to get the towels they would sure understand how much they are appreciated by every one except the fellows who did not get one, who will either have to borrow or continue to use the sunshine.

When I write I will tell you all about the review today.

SIDNEY C. HAPPERSETT.

Food Conservation Committee. The Food Conservation Committee will meet Monday evening at 7:30 at the Y. M. C. A.

MRS. M. A. CURTISS, Chairman.

Coming Events. September 3.—Food Conservation Committee meets, 7:30 P. M. at Y. M. C. A.

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