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For Christmas Give—

PARKER Self-fillers. For the boys at the front, for relatives and friends—the enduring gift, always appreciated, always useful.

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No holes in wall of barrel—ink cannot leak out to soil hands or clothing.

In event of accident to interior mechanism, the Parker automatically changes to a non-self-filler without interruption of service.

Red Cross Drug Store

Milton wants a road over the mountains to Walla Walla valley.

WAR IS A YOUNG MAN'S GAME, SAYS CAPTAIN

Older Men Cannot Stand the Nervous Strain of Fighting.

CAMP LEWIS, TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 6. War is a young man's game and should be so, according to the opinion of Captain E. W. Mawdsley, of the British army, who has been to teach Americans in training the subtle art of killing Hun with a trench mortar.

"A middle aged or old man cannot stand the nervous strain of modern fighting," Captain Mawdsley said today, "but the young fellow is not much worried after he gets used to it."

"The trenches are not as bad as they are pictured. They're a bit nasty under foot, a little muddy during the winter, but there's always a lot of excitement and something to do all the time. The men in the trenches are well fed."

There is no sentiment in Captain Mawdsley. "Shoot any old Hun you see," he declared. "If you don't he'll shoot you."

Ready Now at Old Price.

Fresh lot (just received) of Foley's Honey and Tar are selling at before-the-war prices. This puts a well-known cough medicine, ready to use, in homes at less than it costs to buy and mix the ingredients yourself and save the bother and fuss.

Mrs. Mary Kishy, 3535 Princeton Ave., Spokane, Wash., writes: "I was sick in bed with laryngitis. I coughed very badly. I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped my cough and I got better. So now I am around the house again. Sold everywhere."

Adv.

Elgin Planing To Hold Community Christmas

ELGIN, Dec. 6. (Special.)—Believing that a Community Christmas would show a truer spirit of the season and reach more people, Elgin citizens adopted the plan. Several committees have been appointed and are at work on the entertainment which will be held at the city opera house Christmas eve.

Mrs. George Flagg returned to her home in Prairie City Saturday evening after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spencer.

Miss Mariel Bater spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bater. Miss Bater is teaching school near Hot Lake.

Mrs. LeRoy Stafford rendered another solo at the M. E. church last Sunday evening which was greatly enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Neale Allen of Milton, is visiting with her people in Elgin this week.

Miss Rebecca Hooper, of La Grande, visited with Mrs. Clarence Hahn last week.

Una Melroy returned to Imbler last Sunday evening where she is packing apples.

Mr. E. G. Kirby made a business trip to La Grande last Monday morning. He was accompanied by Mrs. Kirby and her sister, Mrs. Stone.

Jim Halkarath and Terry Tuttle will leave tonight to enlist in the engineering corps. Several other Elgin young men will leave as soon as the places which they now fill can be filled by others.

Miss Edna Holmes returned Sunday evening to Elgin after a short visit with her sister in Wallawa.

Mrs. Kay Tuttle returned to Hot Lake Saturday evening to be with her brother who is a patient there.

Rev. Otto, of Baker, held services in the Baptist church last Monday evening.

Mr. Schiller returned to Portland Saturday evening after the opening of a big sale for the Elgin Grocery.

Last Thursday evening the citizens of Elgin were given a rare treat at the Grand theatre. The picture shown was "Sirens of the Sea," and in it were some wonderful and beautiful pictures.

Bob Lamo, a member of the local band, cut his hand quite severely on the hand-saw in the box factory Monday morning. Although the cut is only a flesh wound it will inconvenience him for some time.

Two La Grande teachers visited Miss Pearl Phillips and Miss Edith Fairbank, local teachers last Thursday.

Superintendent A. E. Clawson has received instructions from the government to aid the registered soldiers in filling out their Questionnaires.

Mr. Clawson has very kindly offered his services free of charge and will aid any of the boys to the best of his ability.

The public schools of Elgin sent a very good donation to the Boys and Girls Aid Society in Portland last week. The donation consisted of 25 quarts of fruit and several sacks of vegetables, such as carrots, potatoes, onions and apples, also several packages.

Mrs. A. E. Vanhook, County School Superintendent, and Paul Spillman, extension agent for the food conservation and Mr. O'Riley, of the Oregon Agricultural College, visited in Elgin Tuesday. They addressed the grade



AT THE ARCADE TODAY.

THE ELECTRIC FURNACEMAN

Thermostat Will Operate the Furnace in Place of Janitor.

A little device called a "thermostat" can be trusted to look after the furnace in case you want to go away for the day, or when it is down two flights of stairs to the basement.

Thermo is from the Greek meaning "heat" and stat means "to make stand." Therefore a thermostat is a little device to keep the heat in any room always at the same temperature.

The electric thermostat can be placed in a room and set for any given temperature, say 72 degrees. If the temperature should rise a mere fraction above this Mr. E. Thermostat will very promptly close the furnace drafts and open the cold air check draft. Should the temperature drop below 72 degrees he will close all the checks and open up the force draft until the desired temperature is recorded.

In most cases the operation of the drafts is effected by the use of a tiny electric motor on the furnace which is controlled by the thermostat upstairs.

Children in the high school assembly, Rainosa Henderson, a boy of the seventh grade, is suffering from a broken arm, received while cranking an auto.

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LOCALS And Advertising in Brief

"Within the Law."

If you are undecided what to give here's a hint—look at the display at the La Grande Pharmacy. 12-6-17.

Conceded Food Sale. The Ladies of the Christian Church will hold a cooked food sale Saturday at the Patton Grocery. 12-6-17.

"The Stars and Stripes in France," released by Pathé, taken in France, at Star Theatre, Saturday only. 12-5-17.

New shipment of Jackson Corsets, Walling Millinery. 11-28-17.

Notice to Telegram Patrons. Anyone not receiving the Telegram or wishing to subscribe for same, please notify A. G. Herrman, agent, Red 3351. 12-6-17.

See Mrs. Dunn's China at Harris Art Store. 12-4-17.

You can not alone without our candy but you won't after you try it. La Grande Pharmacy. 12-6-17.

"Within the Law," with the wonderful actors, Alice Joyce and Harry Moray, at the Arcade Monday and Tuesday. 12-5-17.

New shipment of Jackson Corsets, Walling Millinery. 11-28-17.

Take a hint.—Can't you take a hint? She adorns our candies. La Grande Pharmacy. 12-1-17.

Hemstitching. 10 cents per yard. Packages may be left at Nash Electric Co. or Mrs. S. L. Wall's, 1501 Adams avenue. 11-24-17.

New shipment of Jackson Corsets, Walling Millinery. 11-28-17.

If you want something good, durable and right up to the minute in style in Shopping Bags, Hand Bags, you will find them at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. Daily 4 times Weekly 1 time.

"In the Wake of the Huns," genuine pictures taken in Europe, Star Theatre, Saturday only. 12-5-17.

New shipment of Jackson Corsets, Walling Millinery. 11-28-17.

6-1-2 per cent Money—\$25,000 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. 11-22-17.

What are our boys doing in France? See "The Stars and Stripes in France" at the Star, Saturday only. 12-5-17.

Any card or package of Xmas seals by our corner window 5 cents. Look at them, La Grande Pharmacy. 12-5-17.

Advertisement for Toyland featuring Christmas shopping. Text includes: 'JUST 15 SHOPPING DAYS UNTILL', 'TOYLAND', 'with all its wonder is ready for your gift choosing. Select now and we will deliver at any time you desire.', 'THE GOLDEN RULE Co.', 'One of the 600 R. C. U. Stores', 'Annual Buying Power of the R. C. U. Over 60 Million Dollars'.

Local news snippets including: 'Mavis (perfume). Mavis has been called the "Harmony of Flowers." It is delightful. Displayed at Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 10-12-17.', 'RUBBER WORTH. You will be insured of REAL VALUE in a San-Tox hot water Bottle. Guaranteed to give service. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 11-27-17.', 'New shipment of Jackson Corsets, Walling Millinery. 11-28-17.', 'He Moves Things—J. L. Mars, real estate and rental agent buys and moves houses. Prices talk.—Adv. 11-22-17.', 'The large assortment of White Ivory, almost every kind made—just the very latest—at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. Daily 4 times Weekly 1 time.', 'You will do well to step in and inspect our immense line of FRENCH and PYRALIN IVORY. Prices are Right. Quality Guaranteed. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 11-27-17.', 'Not war pictures but pictures showing conditions now existing in the war zone. "In the Wake of the Huns," and "The Stars and Stripes in France," Star Theatre, Saturday only. 12-5-17.', 'A most complete assortment of Universal Vacuum Bottles of all different sizes and finishes. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 11-27-17.', '"Within the Law." A special Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature in eight reels, "Within the Law," at the Arcade Monday and Tuesday. 12-5-17.', 'Singer Sewing Machine Agency is now with Coolidge Paint Store. Singer machines for sale. New machines rented. Phone Main 7. 12-5-17. R. WOOLSEY, Agent.', 'Call up L. Stillwell, Red 201 for King David, Dileous, and Jonathan Apples. 11-17-17.', 'Money to Loan. On improved real property in Union county. No delays. Current rates. La Grande Investment Co. Adv. 12-4-17.', 'Don't fail to see the La Grande Pharmacy assortment of Xmas cards and booklets. 12-4-17.'

Advertisement for Mazola corn oil. Text includes: 'MAZOLA', 'A wholesome and delicious oil, from Corn, for general cooking and salad dressings.', 'THIS pure oil from America's greatest cereal—Indian Corn—is the ideal medium for frying, sautéing, shortening and salad dressings.', 'Foods fried in Mazola are not only much more easily digested—they are more palatable—free from greasiness or sogginess—because Mazola browns food quickly.', 'And with the nation-wide movement headed by Mr. Hoover to save butter, lard, suet, the housewife is particularly glad that she has a cooking medium which is so delicious—she can help conserve the country's resources, cut the cost of her cooking, give her family food of the highest quality—all with Mazola.', 'Mazola makes especially the salad dressings, too.', 'Sold by your grocer in pint, quart, half-gallon and gallon tins; for greatest economy buy the large sizes.', 'Ask for a copy of the free Mazola Book of Recipes, or write us direct.', 'Your money refunded if Mazola does not give entire satisfaction.', 'Corn Products Refining Co., 17 Battery Place, New York, Sales Representatives Johnson, Lieber Company, Portland, Oregon.'

Advertisement for Comfort's Gifts featuring a motor weave automobile robe. Text includes: 'COMFORT'S GIFTS', 'What better gift than the gift of genial warmth, of superb style and wondrous serviceability—for that motor friend, some member of the family, or yourself? A handsome, durable', 'MOTOR WEAVE AUTOMOBILE ROBE', '\$6.75', 'Something that is useful and will be appreciated. We have a large variety of patterns and grades, from \$6.75 to \$10.00.', 'SELECT YOURS NOW', 'W. H. Bohnenkamp Company', 'Illustration of a man in a motor weave robe holding a sign with the price \$6.75.'

Advertisement for The Holt Caterpillar Tractor. Text includes: 'The Holt Caterpillar Tractor', 'Moves Into New Quarters', 'The Holt Caterpillar Tractor works where other tractors can't.', 'This fact has been demonstrated time and again with other makes of tractors in this immediate country, as well as in many other sections of the Northwest. Quite a number of our largest ranches are happy owners of HOLT CATERPILLAR TRACTORS and are handling their entire acreage the Holt way, plowing, harrowing, seeding, etc.', 'I wish to inform my friends and patrons that I am now located in my new office, 1303 Jefferson Avenue, the new Bohnenkamp Building, and that I carry a complete line of parts and motor oils.', 'C. W. BUNTING', 'Agent for Holt Caterpillar Tractors for Union and Wallowa Counties, Oregon, and the Five Southwest Counties of Idaho'

Advertisement for Typewriter Service in Rural Communities. Text includes: 'Typewriter Service in Rural Communities', 'The typewriter is coming into more extended use in rural communities because of the assistance it renders to all classes of people. Here are a few examples of the possibilities of service:', 'The Farmer: Think of the possibilities of selling produce by the means of typewritten letters sent out to customers? Typewritten letters give the sender a business standing with the people who receive them and also enable the keeping of carbon copies of the correspondence, which many times does away with misunderstandings and lawsuits.', 'The General Store Merchant: More prompt and courteous treatment is likely to be accorded his orders and correspondence with the City jobber and manufacturer if his letters are typewritten.', 'In The Home: The boy or girl who is intending to follow a business career can secure no better start than a knowledge of typewriter operating. Children, who learn to use the typewriter learn spelling at the same time. The housewife finds it a great convenience in writing recipes and for general correspondence.', 'The Minister: No Clergyman should be without a typewriter. It is of great assistance in preparing sermons and writing the many letters that a pastor has to write.', 'Mail us the Coupon today', 'L. C. SMITH & BROS. TYPEWRITER CO. L. C. SMITH & BROS. Typewriter Co. 104 Fifth St., Portland, Oregon. Please send me free catalog.', 'Illustration of a typewriter and a coupon form.'