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Red Cross Drug Store

46,712 BRITISH PRISONERS

43,699 Held by Germany—Many interned in Switzerland.

British prisoners held by the enemy, including those in Switzerland, total 46,712, according to an official announcement. The prisoners include members of the regular army, territorial forces, royal navy and naval division, divided as follows:

	Officers	Other ranks
In Germany	1,232	41,225
In Turkey	249	7,269
In Bulgaria	42	2,000
In Austria	13	54
Totals	1,536	44,548

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 7-13.—Portland Automobile, Truck and Tractor Show.

Feb. 12—Ash Wednesday.

March 29—Good Friday.

March 31—Easter Sunday.

April 12—Last day for filing nomination of candidacy for nominating petition with the county clerk for primary election.

May 17—Primaries for Republicans and Democrats.

November 5—General state, county nominating petitions or declarations for the primaries with the secretary of state, and city election.

AMUSEMENTS

Arcade Theatre—Motion pictures.

Star Theatre—Motion pictures and Vaudeville.

Sherry Theatre—Motion Pictures

MAIL AND TRAIN SCHEDULES

TRAIN SCHEDULE

West Bound Arrives

No. 5—To Portland.... 9:55 p. m.
 No. 19—To Portland.... 12:30 a. m.
 No. 17—To Portland.... 9:00 a. m.

East Bound

No. 4—To Chicago.... 5:40 a. m.
 No. 6—To Salt Lake.... 11:25 a. m.
 No. 18—To Chicago.... 8:25 p. m.

DEPARTURE OF MAIL

Leaves office for train No. 17 (West bound)..... 8:25 a. m.
 Leaves office for train No. 32 (To Joseph)..... 8:25 a. m.
 Leaves office for train No. 6 (East bound)..... 9:00 a. m.
 Leaves office for train No. 18 (East bound)..... 7:55 p. m.
 Leaves office for train No. 5 (West bound)..... 9:10 p. m.
 Leaves office for train No. 4 (East bound)..... 9:10 p. m.

All mails as nearly as possible should be dropped in the postoffice prior to the hours listed above in order to avoid congestion at the depot boxes. The only mail necessary to take to the depot is that to be posted after 9:10 p. m.

The co-operation of the public is solicited in connection with this matter. E. E. BRAGG, Postmaster

Better than money because they earn money; buy a WAR-SAVINGS STAMP TO-DAY.

OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE

YOU SAY YOU RUN THIS PLACE, WELL, I AM ITCHING TO GO TO WORK.



WELL, I'M PRETTY HANDY AT SEVERAL THINGS! WHENEVER THERE IS BROUGHT TO MY ATTENTION AN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY THAT SKINS THE UNFORTUNATE THEY DEAL WITH, I AM PRETTY GOOD AT CLEANING THE CROOK THAT RUNS THE SHEBANG!!!



News of La Grande

Move to Elgin—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mahaffey of Moucham are moving to Elgin.

Return to Imbler—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rieth and baby, who have been visiting relatives here returned to Imbler.

Mrs. Lester Returns—Mrs. Charles Lester returned today from a week's visit to Portland, Seattle and other Coast points.

Returns From Enterprise—H. D. Crowe of the Home Independent Telephone Co. returned from Enterprise, yesterday.

Go Up the Grange—E. C. Skiles, Bobby Frame, W. H. Burnett and Jimmie Bannan were all passengers on the branch train.

Returns from Pendleton—Mrs. M. A. Peterson and baby girl have been visiting in Pendleton. They returned home today.

Return to Joseph—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Poague and baby who have been visiting in Portland for a month returned to Joseph.

Resigns as Fireman—W. E. Ashman, for six months a fireman, has resigned his position. He expects to take up mechanical work at the Palmer mills.

Registered in Portland—The following persons registered at the Imperial hotel, February 11th: G. I. Wade, La Grande; Fred Davis, Elgin; E. H. Brunka and wife, Joseph.

Mrs. Summers Here—Mrs. J. L. Summers of Albany, Oregon, is visiting for a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Okey. Mrs. Summers is

conducted in a systematic way in each room. The report so far is as follows: High school, \$154.24; Greenwood school, \$192.00; Elvira school, \$66.75; Central school, \$123.00; total, \$885.99. The teachers and all those concerned are greatly interested in this war savings work.

Go to Allec—Mrs. B. F. Gamble is a passenger to Allec where she is holding rehearsals for the cantata to be given Friday night by the choral club there. There are about twenty-five participants and the program promises to be very interesting.

"Snow White" a Success—"Snow White" given for the benefit of the Red Cross last night at the High School auditorium, was a wonderful reproduction of the fairy story by a number of local children. The play was a complete success and the children all showed a fine amount of talent.

Recovers "French Cap"—Wayman Scott, aged ten, is a very happy boy, having received a pretty gray trench cap from his uncle, Chas. Harding, who is with the Hospital Unit in France. To show that he is grateful, Wayman immediately sat down and wrote a nice letter of thanks to his uncle.

Store Remodeled—The La Grande Meat Co. are making a very notable change in the store by renovating, remodeling and giving the entire place a new coat of paint. The store will be all in white with a new fish tray in the east window. This tray will be marble lined with glass and equipped with cold storage. Altogether the place will be very modern.

Thrift Stamp Campaign On—The campaign for the sale of Thrift Stamps in the schools, which commenced last week, is proving a big success and will be continued throughout the entire year. This campaign

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Birthdays Party—A very pleasant birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Baker, 220 1/2 North Fir street, Saturday, February 9, in honor of their daughter, Hazel, it being her fifteenth birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Neff, Mrs. Neff, Mr. S. M. Roberts of Bandon, the Misses Ethel Smith, Beatie Walker, Anna Scott, Verna Lewis, Rachel Lewis and Hazel Baker, and Messrs. John Chapman, Guy Tate and William Tate. Light refreshments were served and all had a very enjoyable time.

Returns From Portland—Mrs. C. E. Lovell of the Blackman Millinery, returned from Portland today.

Summer Guests—Those registered at the Sommer are: N. T. Gray, Allec; B. S. Brooks, Imbler; F. M. O'Brien, Willowa; James Moss, Allec; Chas. O'Hara, Enterprise; Lizzie Wells, Allec.

Foley Guests—Those registered at the Foley are: Bertha Tippett, Enterprise; Chris Tippett, Enterprise; Floyd Squibb, Enterprise; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bidder, Union; W. J. Herwig, Topoka, Kansas; Sam Poague and wife, Joseph; Bert L. Jones, Joseph; A. B. Hall, Willowa.

Box Social at Island City. If you would like to spend a pleasant evening come to the box social at the Odd Fellows hall, Feb. 15 at 7:30. Ladies are invited to

bring boxes. These will sell at 50 cents and children's boxes for 25 cents. Proceeds go to the Epworth League. The boys band of Island City will play selections during the evening. 2-11-41pd.

Mae Murphy to Lecture at Allec. The ladies of Allec are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. B. W. Webb on Thursday afternoon, February 14, at 2:30. Miss Mae Murphy will give a stereopticon lecture on "food" conservation and Spring and Summer gardening.

Neighbors of Woodcraft. Helping save the nation's credit. That is to be a special feature of the regular meeting of Circle No. 47 Neighbors of Woodcraft, on Wednesday evening, February 13. The Neighbors of Woodcraft is the first and, to date the only, fraternal benefit order, to volunteer the services of its working organization to the United States government, the first order to get its "commission," and the first order to start "over the top." The Neighbors of Woodcraft has been commissioned as a special agent of the treasury department to aid in the Thrift and War Savings Loan.

Notice of Advance. Beginning March first wages for painters and paperhangers will advance. It will be to your advantage to have as much as possible of your inside work done before that date. 2-12-41. OXNER'S PAINT STORE

Ash Wednesday. Services at St. Peter's church tomorrow, Ash Wednesday, morning, 10; afternoon 2:30; evening, 7:30.

Summerville Ladies. All the ladies of Summerville are asked to be present at the M. E. church, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, when Miss Mae Murphy, emergency home demonstration agent of Eastern Oregon, will give a stereopticon lecture on food conservation and Spring and Summer garden production also recent wheat regulation. Use your patriotism and come out and you will have more going back.

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Exceptional values in all leather novelty bags.
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Lawns, dimities, voiles and flaxons in a wondrous array of new patterns in stripes, plaids and floral patterns.
Prices ... 12 1/2c, 18c, 22 1/2c, 25c, 35c, 58c Yard

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New Styles in Patent Belts.
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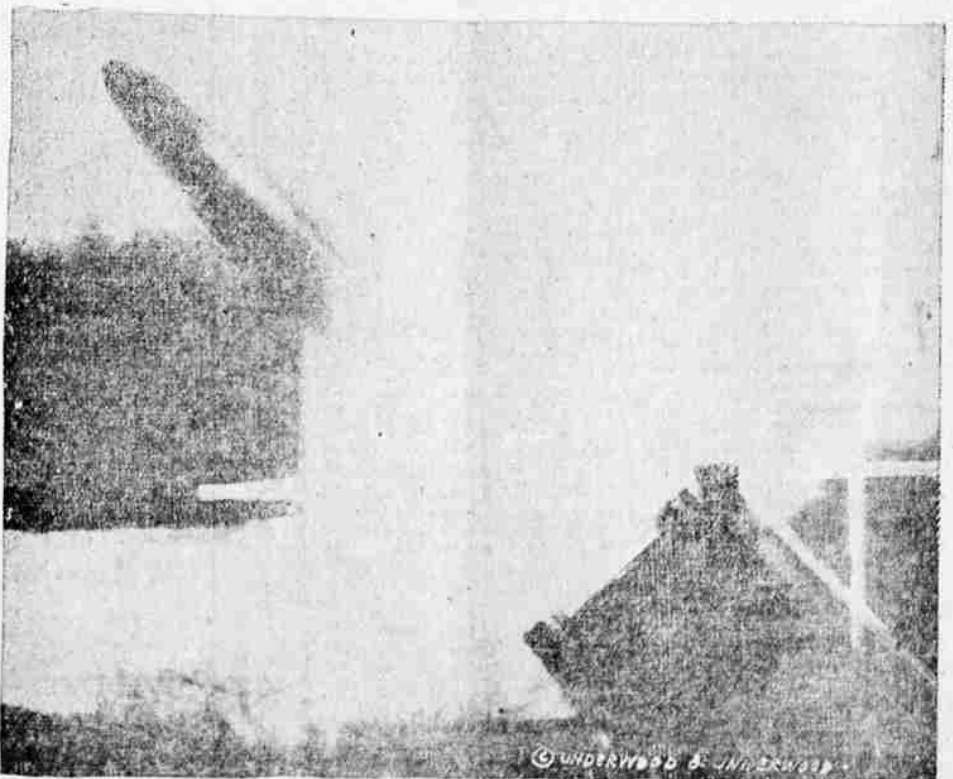
"VENGEANCE AND THE WOMEN"

Chapter No. 3

TOMORROW

The Famous Fox Kiddies in "BABES IN THE WOODS"

HUGE SHELLS LEAVING GERMAN MORTAR



This shell is on its way to behind the allied lines. The camera caught it in its lightning flight from the mouth of the latest type German "Minerwerfer." This weapon has a pneumatic brake which gives the shell greater stability and which lessens the recoil.

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A. J. LARM

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"Archie" Roosevelt, son of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, was recently promoted to captain on the recommendation of General Pershing. He was a second lieutenant.