

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Business Men's Luncheon. The business men's luncheon will be held next Tuesday at noon at the Foley hotel.

Selling more cigars all the while; try them at see why. La Grande Pharmacy. 2-18-17

Sugarless Nuggets at the La Grande Pharmacy. The new confection made by J. G. McDonald Chocolate Co., Salt Lake, U. S. A. 2-2-17.

NEW TODAY

LOST—Large black saddle horse, Friday. Notify La Grande Meat Co. 2-18-17.

LOST—Gold Fountain Pen with owners name on it. J. F. E. de. care La Grande Lumber & Milling Co. 2-18-17.

Keep your Kodak busy for the sake of the boys "over there."

When you have a roll of film exposed and don't want to go to the trouble of developing it yourself, bring it to us. We develop every day, so there is no long wait here for pictures.

Everything in Kodak. Red Cross Drug Store

COMING SOON, CONSCRIPTION FOR BRITISHERS IN THE U. S. A.



Gen. W. A. White, G. O. C. BRITISH CANADIAN RECRUITING MISSION IN AMERICA

"It is quite clear that the Britisher in this country of military age cannot do his full duty by waiting to be drafted. The convention agreed upon is very useful in bringing home to him that if fit to fight he must either enlist or be drafted. But I consider it important to point out to him that his duty is still to enlist rather than wait for the draft."

That the alien draft convention between Great Britain and the United States will intensify rather than retard British and Canadian recruiting in this country is the opinion expressed by General W. A. White in a statement made public at the headquarters in Chicago of Western Division, British-Canadian Recruiting Mission.

"The main point is that British or Canadian subjects in this country," General White's statement asserts, "cannot possibly escape liability to service in the war."

"Instead of being exempt from conscription of any sort, he now becomes much more liable to service than the American."

"The age limit for conscription in this case extends from 20 to 40 years. This is a perfectly fair arrangement for it compels every man who claims British citizenship to place himself on practically the same footing as his fellow countrymen at home, and surely citizenship should carry with it obligations as well as advantages."

"British subjects will of course have the same chances of exemption on application to the Ambassador as British citizens at home."



"BY THE PEOPLE"

Let us cherish in our hearts those undying words of Abraham Lincoln, the first American to reach the lonely heights of immortal fame. Take his message, carry it and proclaim it broadcast throughout the Nation; help our people to realize the patriotic duty resting upon them, each and all, as free-born citizens of this great democracy.

We face the most stupendous task in the history of the nation. Never before has such danger confronted us. Everything we have ever fought for—from Bunker Hill to Santiago—is at stake, and it is conceivable that the final VICTORY WILL BE WON BECAUSE OF OUR CONTRIBUTIONS OF FOOD.



U. S. Food Administration

NEWS OF LA GRANDE

In New Quarters—Dr. Mayville has moved in commodious quarters in Rooms 1 and 2, over the Coalidge paint store.

Registered in Portland—The following people registered at the Imperial hotel, Portland, February 15: C. A. Galloway and son, Elgin.

Foley Registrants—Guests at the Foley are: H. C. Hewitts, Enterprise; Chas. A. Maher, Wallown; J. C. Schmidt, Wallown; Martin King, Kamela.

Sommer Guests—Those registered at the Sommer are: Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bryant, Kamela; Bert Rog's wife, Elgin; A. W. Schupp, Joseph; C. H. Zuercher, Enterprise.

War Map at Library—Police the war on the western front. Hammond's large scale war map of the western front may be consulted at the public library. This map is indexed, enabling one to find many of the small places mentioned in the newspapers which are not as-

usually in the atlases available in the ordinary library.

Meetings Under Way—The meetings at the M. E. church South, in progressing nicely. Mr. Higgins has the singing very well organized. Already he has about 25 in the choir and about as many in the booster choir. Services this evening at 7:30. Mrs. Higgins and daughter will sing a duet and Miss Dolores Higgins will sing a solo.

Washington and Lincoln Memorial Service—The Christian church has decided to hold a big patriotic service on the evening of Feb. 24th. Brief but intensely interesting talks on men that have immortalized American history will be given and songs of an inspiring nature will be a prominent feature of the exercises. Look out for the announcement of the full program.

Spruce Producers Go West—A car load of 50 men from Maline, Ill., passed through La Grande on No. 17 today bound for Vancouver barracks. They are all volunteers for spruce production which is organized to put out the supply of spruce in greater quantity and to rush the output of government airplanes. These men are all skilled and are capable of the most efficient labor and teamwork.

PERSONAL MENTION

The following people registered at the Imperial hotel, Portland, February 16: M. H. Mitchell, La Grande.

Chas. Todd, the horse buyer, is in town.

N. D. Bird of HDigital was in town on business.

Miss Rita Hamilton, of Joseph, spent Sunday here with her father, J. B. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pearce leave tonight for Portland where the State Board of Optometry will hold examinations. Mr. Pearce is the secretary of the board. The state association of Optometrists will also hold a meeting on February 22.

Gene Becker spent Sunday in Sumnerville with his mother, Mrs. S. E. Becker.

Phil Nebenzahl spent Sunday in Baber.

James Atherton left for Portland Saturday where he will undergo medical treatment.

Mrs. M. A. Brown returned by Sisco after visiting here with relatives.

Mrs. Nialty arrived from Union to visit Mrs. Knight.

Miss Jessie Corshaw who has been visiting Miss Blanche Irwininger returned to Portland today.

Geo. Maher went to Portland on

Advertisement for Fancy Curtain Scrim. Features: Twenty-One Patterns to Select From, OVER 1200 YARDS OF Fancy Curtain Scrim, Special 19c yard. Includes list of blouses and waists.

Advertisement for Oregon Grocery Company. Features: Daily Recipe for Wheat Substitutes, February 18, 1918. Includes recipe for Barley Muffins and list of distributors.

Advertisement for La Camille corsets. Features: Preparedness, LEARN THE TRUTH ABOUT CORSETS, LOCALS Advertising in Brief, SHEEP FOR SALE AT NEW FAIR GROUNDS.

Advertisement for Sherry Theatre. Features: THE HOUSE OF QUALITY, Last Day Today of Harold Lockwood, "The Avenging Trail", TOMORROW GREATER VITAGRAPH PRESENTS HARRY MOREY.

Advertisement for Wholesale Kisses for Soldier Boys. Includes a portrait of a woman and text about kisses for the boys.